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THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA: Fair, warmer Sunday; Monday fair. Light to gentle variable winds on the coast, becoming southerly.

ARKANSAS: Fair, warmer Sunday; Monday partly cloudy.

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SEVEN GERMAN DESTROYERS SUNK IN BRITISH ATTACK

HOLLAND READY
TO STRIKE BACK
AT ALL INVADERS

Armed Forces Mobilized To
Repulse Attack On
Any Front

NETHERLANDS MERCHANT
MARINE SUFFERS LOSS
Belgium Is Also Alert With
Troops Ready To De-
fend Borders

By J. R. O'Sullivan
THE HAGUE, The Netherlands, April 13.—(P)—The Netherlands faced tonight its most critical period since the outbreak of the European war—with its armed forces fully alert to strike back at any invasion, new strategic areas under martial law and the government reiterating its vow to maintain a policy of complete independence despite pressure from the warring powers.

Belgium, too, invoked new defensive measures, posting military guards at all public properties—radio stations, ministries, airdromes.

The Netherlands merchant marine suffered another loss in the sinking of the steamer *Velocitas*, 197 tons, which struck a mine off the English coast last night with the loss of three lives. The *Velocitas* was bound from England to Antwerp with coal.

Strengthening the hands of elderly Premier Derek Jan de Geer's government and the army high command, Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands tonight issued a royal decree extending the nation's manifold martial law areas.

The military was given control over additional zones in the southeastern province of Noord Brabant, where the main first defense lines are located, and in northern and eastern provinces.

Since last November's first "invasion scare," The Netherlands literally has been dotted with these martial law zones, covering points which are component parts of the elaborate Dutch

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ROOSEVELT FLAYS
GERMAN INVASION

President Issues Formal State-
ment Defending Rights
Of Neutrals

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(P)—President Roosevelt, in a formal statement today, condemned Germany's invasion of Denmark and Norway, and declared that if civilization itself is to survive "powerful neighbors" must respect the rights of small nations to independence.

The president's statement, first formal expression of this government's attitude toward the Nazi blitzkrieg into Scandinavia, was handed to reporters at the White House. It said (about 150):

"Force and military aggression are once more on the march against small nations, in this instance through the invasion of Denmark and Norway.

"These two nations have won and maintained during a period of many generations the respect and regard not only of the American people, but of all peoples, because of their observance of the highest standards of national and international conduct.

"The government of the United States has on the occasion of recent invasions strongly expressed its disapprobation of such unlawful exercise of force.

"It here reiterates, with undiminished emphasis, its point of view as expressed on those occasions.

"If civilization is to survive, the rights of the smaller nations to independence, to their territorial integrity, and to the unimpeded opportunity for self government must be respected by their more powerful neighbors."

ARCHBISHOP RUMMEL
OPPOSES TAX REPEAL

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—(P)—Archbishop Joseph F. Rummel and the Rev. A. G. Scherer, president of the New Orleans ministerial union, today urged defeat of the constitutional amendment in Tuesday's general election which would repeal the Louisiana sales tax.

The council of social agencies called a meeting for Monday to consider action by member organizations against the measure, and several civic, professional and business groups made public resolutions opposing the proposed amendment.

Archbishop Rummel, in a public statement urged citizens to vote against the measure.

In letters to ministers, Rev. Scherer asked that they appeal to members of their congregations to vote against the amendment.

Germans In New Drive To Oslo

Nazis Defy Foes To Dislodge Her Troops

Germany Claims Her Position
In Scandinavia Is Impregnable

By Alvin J. Steinkopf
BERLIN, April 13.—(P)—Germany challenged the full power of her foes tonight to break her steadily reinforced hold on Norway and Denmark as she consolidated her gains amid furious British thrusts from the air and acclaimed the sinking of two British submarines by her own warbirds.

The German position in Scandinavia is impregnable against the mightiest blows the enemy possibly can deliver," authorized commentators proclaimed.

Their cry of defiance came at the end of a day in which main developments recorded by Germans included:

1. Warplanes cruising over the North sea surprised two British submarines as they came to the surface and sank them at the same time.

2. DNB, official news agency, took cognizance of reports abroad that the 8,250-ton British cruiser York had been sunk.

3. German crews have taken over all Norwegian war vessels found in the Nazi occupation of the northern kingdom.

4. A steady stream of German soldiers continued to move across the Skagerrak, reaching Oslo "in large numbers," while heavy artillery went

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GROUP CHARGES BIG DOCK FRAUD

Citizens Of Louisiana De-
frauded Of Half-Million,
Says Committee

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—(P)—The Citizens' Voluntary Committee of Louisiana, an organization which opposed renomination of Governor Earl K. Long in the recent primaries, charged today it had made a preliminary survey of the dock board payrolls showing the "taxpayers have been defrauded of over \$500,000 during the fiscal year 1938-39."

The statement issued by the committee follows:

"Our committee had undertaken a preliminary survey of the dock board payrolls and while the findings are not complete, they are indicative of the extent to which political corruption and inefficiency have burdened this department.

"These figures are being presented for public information and it is the hope of this committee that the proper authorities will institute both civil and criminal proceedings to right the wrongs and to punish the guilty.

"The examination shows that the people and taxpayers of the state have been defrauded of over \$500,000 during the fiscal year of 1938-39. This does not include money spent during the campaign months of January and February, 1940, when the increase in payrolls at times was as much as 150 per cent over the April, 1940, payroll.

"The figures speak for themselves. Not even the stanchest supporters of the little political party in control of affairs of this state will undertake to say that the business of the port increased so tremendously as to justify such an increase in the payroll.

"A comparison for the months of January, 1940, and April, 1940—when the deadheads, double dippers and political deadbeats were eliminated—shows a reduction of \$161,000 in payroll. Someone somewhere used the taxpayers' money and this someone, high or low, should and must repay it and should and must be punished it.

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FIERCE FIGHTING REPORTED NEAR NORWAY CAPITAL

Stockholm Hears Civilians
Have Fled From Em-
battled Area

GERMANS SMASH RING
FORMED IN DEFENSE

Newest Nazi Troops Landed
On Norwegian Soil
Near Sweden

STOCKHOLM, April 13.—(P)—Germans today landed new expeditionary troops in southeast Norway and began a brisk drive northward toward Oslo in fierce fighting with Norwegian defenders.

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AMENDMENTS ARE STATE'S INTEREST

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posed a "luxury" tax—a modified sales tax on certain articles which the 1938 legislature revamped into a straight sales tax.

Officially named the "public welfare revenue tax" the levy is doomed but the method for its erasure from the state books is at stake Tuesday.

"Everyone knows I oppose the sales tax," Jones says. "But if the constitutional amendment is adopted there will be a short period of hardship because no provision has been made to take care of relief cases."

"If the legislature is allowed to effect repeal, its death will coincide with adoption of measures to provide for public welfare."

Jones charges Long with intending had he been elected governor, to defeat the amendment and keep the tax permanently.

"The outgoing governor repeatedly refused to abolish the sales tax," says Jones. "He could have done so by legislative act at the special session of the legislature he called in Jan-

AERIAL PHOTO OF RUSTON'S SPACIOUS NEW HIGH SCHOOL PLANT



Here's a view of Ruston's new high school, showing the recently completed home economics building at the right, photographed from an airplane flying over the school's nearby athletic plant by E. S. Richardson, Jr., Louisiana Tech photographer. The magnificent and spacious main building and other school properties are located on 43 acres in the northwest part of Ruston, with a total financial outlay of about \$700,000 in which the PWA and WPA collectors of New Orleans were the general contractors and the architectural firm of J. W. Smith and Associates of Monroe prepared the plans. (Photo by courtesy of Louisiana Tech news bureau.)

uary but instead he used the subterfuge of a constitutional amendment which he undoubtedly would have defeated had he been elected."

It was also at the January special session that the three other constitutional proposals received legislative authorization to be placed on Tuesday's ballots.

At the same session between primaries, Governor Long's willing us-

sembly enacted such vote-appealing measures as a \$1,000,000 appropriation for dispensing free lunches to school children without, however, providing any way to raise the money.

Jones is silent about the other three amendments. In the order in which they'll appear on the ballots, the sales tax proposal being first, their effect would be:

2. Authorize the Orleans levee board to donate the federal government a tract on Lake Pontchartrain as site for a coast guard station.

3. Exempt motor fuels used in airplanes, boats and farm machinery from the gasoline tax.

4. Segregate severance tax revenues exclusively for public schools.

Some attorneys believe altering the scope of the gasoline tax may be un-

constitutional as yields based on its present form are pledged as security for state highway bonds.

Four state officers will be reelected in the perfunctory balloting, Harry D. Wilson, commissioner of agriculture; Lucille May Grace, register of the state land office; L. B. Baynard, state auditor, and A. P. Tugwell, state treasurer.

Four new state officers, besides Jones, will be formally installed; John E. Cox, state superintendent of education, succeeding T. H. Harris; James A. Grenville, secretary of state, succeeding E. A. Conway; Eugene Stanley, attorney general, succeeding Lessley Gardiner, and Dr. Marc C. Mouton, lieutenant-governor, succeeding Coleman Lindsey.

Since the election is a general one, voters may write in the name of any independent candidate who has qualified by having filed a statement of his independent candidacy 10 days before the election. Space on the ballot is provided for this purpose but no announcement has been made of any independents having so qualified.

Voters may vote the straight Democratic ticket, obviating the trouble of stamping the blank after the name of each candidate, by stamping the spurned rooster emblem at the top of the Democratic slate.

Each constitutional amendment proposal must be stamped separately, however, whether the straight ticket is voted or not.

"At the moment of issuing this communiqué, the admiralty is not precisely informed as to the conditions in Narvik town.

"Parties of men, possibly German soldiers, have been seen escaping from it over the hills, and further details are awaited.

"No estimate can be made at present of German losses in personnel, but the recent destroyers sunk must have counted over 1,000 men.

"The admiralty has signalled con-

gratulations to Commander-in-Chief Admiral Sir Charles Forbes, to Vice-Admiral Whitworth, and to the

destroyers and men engaged in this

vigorous, daring and skillfully conducted

action, which may well tend to clar-

ify the situation on this part of the

Norwegian coast.

"Operations are still proceeding."

By directing the audacious attack, Vice-Admiral William Jock Whitworth, on the bridge of the Warspite, became the new man of the house to Britons, who love nothing more

than a good sea fight.

To maneuver a warship the size of

the 30,600-ton Warspite with its eight

15-inch guns into the narrow, rock-

studded fjord leading to Narvik called

for super-seamanship.

The Stockholm radio broadcast a

report that several large British war-

HELP PROMISED TO NORWEGIANS

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The fjord to attack the German destroyers, some of them already damaged, who were sheltering in the harbor, and also to engage any shore batteries which might have been erected.

"According to reports which have been received from the commander-in-chief, Vice Admiral Whitworth, his flag in the Warspite, commanded the attack, which was ex-

tremely successful.

"Enemy opposition was not found to be remarkably severe.

"A field howitzer which had been mounted ashore was put out of action by the fire of H. M. S. Cossack.

"Four German destroyers were shattered and sunk in Narvik bay.

"Others fled up Rumbahs fjord, a small inlet eight or nine miles long behind Narvik town.

"A total of 11 British planes were acknowledged lost since early Friday (the Germans claimed 12).

"British official sources avoided mention of what they intend to do with the allied expeditionary force of 100,000 which was declared ready to go to Finland when Finland just a month ago, decided not to fight Russia any more, but there is a general supposition that at least some of these troops still are ready for action.

"British censorship forbids mention of the possibility that this force will be sent to Norway.

"However, since troops in movement at sea are a most vulnerable target, it is doubtful whether the allies will care to risk large-scale landings in Scandinavia until they can be sure of offering adequate sea and air protection.

"The admiralty showed no inclination to "lift the veil" (as Winston Churchill put it) from the home fleet's far-flung operations, but most observers believed the broad plan was to sweep the seas clear of German naval units, and beat back Nazi warplanes so that the allies can render real aid to the struggling Norwegian forces.

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ILLINOIS WINNERS



DIES SEES PLOT TO TAKE MEXICO

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said, is a report that agents of Moscow and Berlin intend to recruit soldiers in this country for their coup, as volunteers were recruited for the Spanish Civil war.

Dies said that the sources of his information included "elective officials" in the republic and "one or two United States senators."

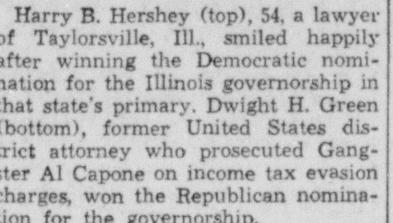
Dies asserted that 10,000 Communists already had moved into Mexico from Spain and France and "the same crowd is perfecting plans to do in Mexico the same thing they did in Spain."

He said the outside forces would attempt to swing the July national election and thus win their objective by civil means but were prepared to resort to open revolt.

For use in the latter eventuality, the chairman declared, Russia is keeping alive "the same organizations" which were active in this country during the Spanish Civil war.

In connection with the report, it was learned, the committee recently invited Diego Rivera, Mexican artist, to testify, but he refused to come to the United States.

BUNDISMAN FOUND HANGING IN HOUSE



Harry B. Hershey (top), 54, a lawyer of Taylorville, Ill., smiled happily after winning the Democratic nomination for the Illinois governorship in that state's primary. Dwight H. Green (bottom), former United States district attorney who prosecuted Gangster Al Capone on income tax evasion charges, won the Republican nomination for the governorship.

Apparently terrified by threats against his life, and fearful of the outcome of the trial in federal court, Ernecke, a German-American bundsman and former trooper in the New York national guard, had hanged himself.

Medical examiners said he had been at least 36 hours.

Ernecke's last appearance in court was on Wednesday when the government's chief witness, Dennis Healy, who had named Ernecke as one of the ringleaders in the alleged plot, fainted on the witness stand after three days of cross-examination.

As soon as he heard Ernecke's body had been found the defendant's Attorney Leo Healy, said he was "afraid something like that would happen" because Ernecke had acted like a man in despair when he last talked to him.

There have been charges both from Germany and from the allies that "the other side" is threatening a surprise attack on the low countries.

The average Hollander seems heartened by the strong defense measures which his government has taken (their exact nature is a military secret) and by the knowledge that well-equipped army and naval forces are fully prepared to resist any surprise attack, either on the eastern frontier or along the north sea coast.

However, there are signs of uneasiness amongst some foreigners.

British nationals, for instance, have been advised to report to their consulates at Amsterdam and Rotterdam the moment any emergency arises.

The government press service emphasized the government's determination to stick to its policy of independent neutrality (Holland has no defense or nonaggression pacts with any country, not even Belgium). It said the government would make no advance arrangements with any belligerent for aid in case of attack.

The army guards in Belgium were described officially as precautionary, "because of the general tension." Additional army leaves were banned.

There has been a constant rising of the emotional temperature in Brussels in the last few days, and the Belgian franc has been falling slowly.

Both engines were afire," said the official report.

The British plane got home with a bullet hole in its gasoline tank.

The Sigma Phi Study club met on Wednesday, April 3 in the home of Mrs. S. J. Gerald with Mrs. O. J. Harp hosts. After the matters of business were attended to, Mrs. John McSwain reviewed "Restless in the River" by August Derleth in a most delightful manner.

During the social hour a very interesting and clever menu game was played. A delicious salad plate was served to Misses Mary Catherine Williams, Edna Carter, Lil Wall and Mesdames Jennie Alverison, John McSwain, Mary Ogden, S. J. Gerald, J. B. Hornbeck, D. E. Wilson, and W. T. Blackwell a guest, Miss Jean Hornbeck and the hosts.

Messrs. Larkin Turpin, A. W. Beckman, C. L. Beckman and Ollie Rivers of Shaw, Miss. were guest in the home of the former's brother, Mr. Baynard Turpin several days last week. They brought with them a pack of 25 hounds and enjoyed a lively fox hunt while here.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Roberts, who have been visiting relatives in Jena for the past ten days, returned Thursday accompanied by the latter's mother, Mrs. J. D. Bradford.

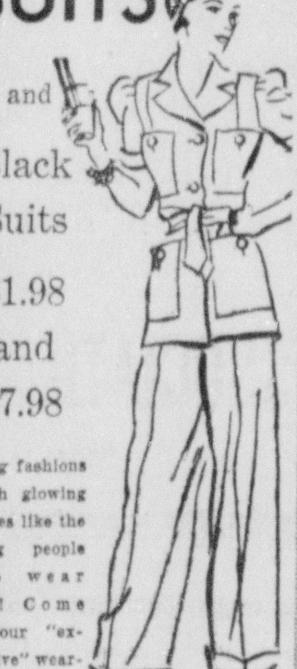
Friends of Mrs. Clair Clark will regret to learn that she is a patient at the St. Francis sanitarium where she underwent an emergency appendectomy about midnight Monday night.

Mr. R. L. Aycock of El Dorado, Ark. was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Calloway recently.

Mrs. E. L. Deacon of Huntsville, Tex. was the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. T. Roberts during the past week.

Among the boys attending the Stock Show in Baton Rouge this week are Billie and T. J. Parker, Wesley Coker and Thomas Harp.

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FERRIDAY HONORS LODGE'S FOUNDER

Masons To Hear Principal Address By J. Luther Jordan

FERRIDAY, La., April 13.—(Special)—A meeting to commemorate the founder of the American Lodge No. 390, F. and A. M., has been called for 2 o'clock Sunday.

All of the ceremonies during the meeting with the exception of the degre will be open to the public and all are cordially invited to attend.

The principal address of the meeting will be delivered by J. Luther Jordan, grand senior warden for Louisiana.

The program is as follows:

Opening lodge—Ferriday Masons retire to corner building.

Call to order by master of ceremonies—P. H. Farmer, grand junior deacon, grand lodge of Louisiana.

Welcoming remarks—Mayor E. W. Vogt.

Music—Ferriday school band.

Prayer—Ferriday minister.

History of Ferriday Lodge—Joe Pasterack.

Presenting J. L. Deprato, founder of lodge.

Presenting apron to founder—D. B. Mitchell, W. M.

Presenting gavel to founder—W. L. Thompson, S. W.

Presenting hat to founder—L. B. Jones, J. B.

Band selection—Ferriday High.

Address—J. Luther Jordan.

Placing slab—Masons.

Closing prayer—Ferriday minister.

M. M. degree—Ferriday lodge.

Refreshments.

RED RIVER PRESBYTERY CLOSES 3-DAY MEETING

CHOURDANT, April 13.—(Special)—The Presbytery of Red River parish closed a very successful three days' meeting at the Alabama church in Chourdant.

Rev. Alvin Stokes presided as moderator and Rev. C. L. Power as temporary clerk.

The opening sermon was delivered by Rev. H. N. Alexander of Tallulah.

HITCH-HIKING HEN GETS LONG AUTOMOBILE RIDE

CHESNEE, S. C., April 13.—(P)—Mrs. Harley Reynolds saw a hen dash in front of her car. She heard loud squawks.

Looking back, she saw no chicken, dead or alive.

At home Mrs. Reynolds found the hen, unhurt, perched on the bumper. It had ridden 10 miles.



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WHERE NAVAL BATTLES RAGED



This map shows where Great Britain and Germany engaged in bitter naval conflict off Jutland, the Danish peninsula scene of the historic World War engagement. Meanwhile the fighting continued along the entire Norwegian coast. Centers of the greatest activity were Bergen (1) where the Germans claimed they captured five British munitions ships; Stavanger (2) where a Norwegian destroyer was reported to have sunk a German troop ship, only to be sunk itself, by German bombers; the Skagerrak (3) where England poured her warships into the straits to trap the Germans; off Marstrand (4) in the Kattegat where German troop ships were sunk; in Oslo fjord (5) where the German cruiser Emden was reported sunk by a Norwegian training ship. There was a report that the Norwegians had recaptured Hamar (6), set up as the temporary Norwegian capital after Oslo was abandoned. The German high command claimed the capture of Bornholm (7), Danish island strategically located at the tip of Sweden.

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West Monroe

E. L. Tanner, Pastor

We invite you to meet with us in all services today. The pastor will continue the study on salvation at the evening service. The subject will be "The Scriptural Evidence of Salvation." This is an important study and we hope you will not miss it. Sunday school begins at 9:45 a. m. S. W. Hamilton superintendent. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Christ Ambassador class meets at 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30. Prayer service Tuesday night and Choir practice Thursday night. We welcome you to all the services of the church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John And Grammont Sts.
L. T. Hastings, Pastor
D. C. Black, Pastor's Associate

Today marks the close of our Ten Weeks Loyalty campaign, 10 never-to-be-forgotten weeks of increased attendance and interest in all phases of the work, especially the worship services. The campaign is over, but our loyalty will continue with ever-increasing fervor. Many have said that it has been the greatest 10 weeks of their Christian experience. We are expecting today to be a great day in every way. As this campaign ends another gets under way—our auditorium enlargement program. By sermon, radio and press information has been disseminated and interest is keen. The teams will soon be ready to go afield and secure cash and short-time pledges for \$37,000 for the enlargement, remodeling and furnishing of the auditorium which will give us about double our present seating capacity.

The pastor will speak at both hours today, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school begins at 9:45; B. T. U. and Brotherhood, 6:15. Everybody is welcome. Come praying for a great day.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
West Monroe
Dr. A. E. Prince, Pastor
Dallas Goss, Music Director
Miss Beulah Doerr, Educational Director

The pastor, Dr. Prince, is preaching in a revival meeting in Coliseum Place Baptist church, New Orleans. The pulpit will be occupied at both services Sunday by Rev. Glenn Lee Green, pastor Pollock Baptist church, Pollock, La. The church is looking forward to the observance of the first anniversary of the pastor on Sunday, April 21. The Sunday school had adopted a goal of 800 in attendance for that day, and the B. T. U. a goal of 300 in attendance. A special observance of this anniversary will be held at both worship services on that day. Sunday school opens at 9:45 and a cordial welcome is extended to all. The B. T. U. officers meet at 6:15 p. m. and the general B. T. U. at 6:45 p. m. The worship services are at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. You are invited to worship with us.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
MONROE
340 Lee Avenue
Dale Cobb, Chorist Director

The great increase in attendance last Sunday in our new Sunday school enlargement program was a great encouragement to all our people. Many new people were enrolled in class for the first time and we are planning to enlarge all the departments to take care of our increasing needs. Let all the people meet as last Sunday; adult and young people (Seniors) meeting the auditorium of the Lida Benton school. (Entrance on the east side). All other classes will meet at the church, splendid accommodation is provided for all the smaller classes which they appreciate very much. All mothers with babies less than a year

old may bring them to the ladies class at the school if they so desire. A good increase is expected in all classes today. If you should be here, please come and help to make this the great church which it should be by your influence and cooperation. The Sunday school will begin at 9:30 a. m. and close 10:40 a. m. Preaching service 10:50—11:15 a. m. The pastor's sermon subject for the morning worship is "The Answer by Fire" and "The Attitude of a Fool Toward Sin," p. m. With the Eminent reformer, Luther let us—

"Begin the day with God,
Kneel down to Him in prayer;
Lift up thy heart to His abode
And pay thy worship there!"
But there is more for us to pray,
"Breath on me, breath of God,
Fill me with life anew,
That I may love what thou dost love,
love, and do what thou wouldest do."

All circles of the W. M. S. will meet at the church for a program 2:00 p. m. Monday. All Sunbeams and G. A.'s meet at the church Friday after school hours. We are expecting 100 people present 6:30 p. m. for the Baptist Training Union program. All our friends are urged to come and worship with us in all these services today. Bring your friends.

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
South Second And Apple
J. P. Lowrey, Minister

Revival services are continuing Sunday school begins at 10 a. m. and at 11 a. m. Rev. N. T. Smith will preach on "At the Feet of Jesus." B. T. U. begins at 7 p. m. at the evening service, Rev. Smith will speak on "The Final Separation." The public is invited to attend these services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Second And Apple
J. P. Lowrey, Minister

Bible Study 9:45 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Ladies Bible class Tuesday 2:45 p. m. Prayer and song service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Song practice Friday 7:30 p. m. Sermon subject: Morning "How to Build up the Church." Evening, "Good Works." Your absence last Sunday made it harder for the preacher to preach. I discouraged the brethren, and therefore robed them of a blessing.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Auburn Avenue And North Second

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" is the subject of the lesson-arrangement in all Churches of Christ. Scientist, Sunday, April 14, 1940.

The golden text is: "The Lord is our judge, the Lord is our lawgiver; the Lord is our king; He will save us." (Isa. 33).

Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. In Him was life; and the life was the light of men." (John 1).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Everything good or worthy, God made. Whatever is valuable or baneful, He did not make hence its un-salinity." (p. 525).

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Corner St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister

The contest between the men's class and the ladies' classes began last Sunday. The men's class were ahead by only 30 points. The contest promises to be a close one. Come and help your class win.

Divine worship 10:50 a. m. The sermon topic will be "The Significance of the Lord's Supper."

Our attendance has been splendid for the past few months. Let us not forsake the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is, but let us be in the spirit on the Lord's day.

The senior Christian Endeavor society will meet at 6:30 p. m. The intermediate C. E. society will meet at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m. Sermon theme, "What's in a Name?" Our attendance is good at these informal evening services. There will be special music at both services.

Choir practice will be held Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. If you can help with the music you are urged to come.

GRACE CHURCH
Fourth And Glenarm Streets

Edward Farren Hayward, Rector

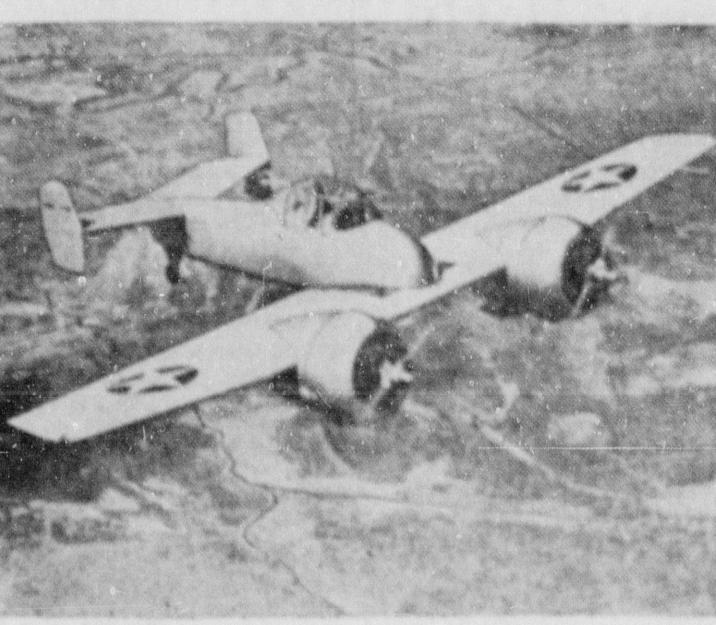
Services for the third Sunday after Easter are as follows: The Holy

Eucharist at 7:30 a. m. Church school at 8:30 a. m. and morning prayer and sermon at 10:45 a. m. The only service during the week is on Wednesday at 9 a. m., at which time the Holy Eucharist will be celebrated. The women's auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Fagan Cox in her home, 4200 South Grand street, on Tuesday from 4 until 6 p. m., at which time a silver tea and a display of antiques will be held. All the members of Grace church are expected to attend and to bring as many of their friends as convenient.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont At Catalpa
Ernest Holloway, Pastor

"A Seared Sense of Responsibility" is the theme of our meditation for the morning worship. Our congregational advancement will be determined by our loyalty, fidelity and will to do. Will you hear us this Lord's day as we think together about the consequences of responsibility evaded? "Can man know God?" is the subject of the evening message. Is God knowable? Can the finite mind of man apprehend the infinite nature of God? This is the second message in a series of four, dealing with God. "Be still and know God." The Sabbath school attendance is good, and yet we are far from our goal, which is four hundred. Are you one of the regular attendants? If not, today is the time to attend. Our annual revival is in the offing. The preacher is the Rev. Charles L. King, pastor, the First Presbyterian church, Houston, Tex. The dates of the revival are Monday May 6 through Sunday May 12. He is able, devout, and sincere. Our ministry is spiritual and we are seeking to inspire, illuminate, and intensify the religious ambitions of our worshippers. A hearty and sincere welcome awaits you!

SWIFTEST BIRD OF PREY



Called the "Skyrocket" because it takes off in 7 seconds and flies almost straight up, the navy's newest aerial destroyer is pictured on its first public flight, at Bethpage, L. I. Carrying two cannons capable of sinking a submarine, and a cluster of machine guns, making 400 miles per hour, the twin-engine Grumman monoplane is considered the fastest, most deadly pursuit plane ever built.

TWO BROTHERS KILLED IN AUTO-TRAIN CRASH

Harrison And Darbone Sherrouse Addition

Vernon C. Grosse, pastor. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Church service at 10:45 a. m. There will be an afternoon service at Delhi at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to come and worship with us.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson At Wood

Dr. A. M. Freeman, Pastor

The pastor will devote today's pulpit hours and the radio service through the week to a consideration of prayer. Questions or problems about your prayer experiences, if mailed to Dr. Freeman, will be discussed without giving names. Such topics as: "Prayer and Human Nature," "Prayer and Our Need," "Prayer and our sense of responsibility," "Prayer and Happiness," "Prayer as impulse or Habit," "Prayer and Courage," "Prayer Answered and Unanswered" and "Our Prayer our Neighbors' Hope" will be considered. The Epworth league meets at 6:45. "The Society of Christian Service" meets at the church Tuesday. The Warner Memorial class will have their monthly meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church annex. On Tuesday evening at the Ouachita parish school the Methodist National Temperance will sponsor a drama "Prisoner at the Bar." This will be given by local talent with several of our members taking part. Friday at 10 a. m. there will be held at the First Methodist church in West Monroe a district meeting of the Society of Christian Service. All women of the district are urged to attend.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
West Monroe

Today will be observed as honor day for the members of the Woman's Missionary society. All members are urged to be present and be sure to bring your husbands. We are consistently growing every Sunday and we feel sure that our record attendance will keep up now that everything is well organized and working as never before. We are expecting 500 in attendance at the Sunday school and a church filled with people for the services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Special reserved seats for the members of the Missionary society. You will find a welcome at every service. A growing church in a growing community.

GORDON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
J. M. Alford, Pastor

The church school exercises open today at 9:45 a. m. which will be followed by the regular worship service at 11:00 o'clock. At this time the subject will be: "Experimental Religion." At the evening hour the theme of the discourse will be along evangelistic lines. The young people will meet for their league work at 6:45 p. m. The Missionary society will meet Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. at the church for their program work, and will be led by Mrs. H. D. Dennis. The church board of Christian education met Wednesday evening and transacted important business. Mrs. C. L. Taylor, the chairman, presided. Every department of the church is functioning in a fine way. Two splendid congregations assembled last Sunday and the interest in all work was excellent. "We thank God and take courage." Come and worship with us today, bring your friends and join us in prayer for victory in the work of our Lord and Saviour!

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, Pastor

A tragic report once came from the diamond fields of South Africa, stating that several Europeans and a large number of native miners were entombed in the DeBeers pit at Kimberley. What empty mockery, in that hour of death, must have been the presence of the rich gems about them! But such accidents do not belong only to South Africa, nor to the diamond pits alone; men may be smothered to death just as surely in a spiritual way.

Make today a red-letter day with you. Attend the sanctuary of the Lord. Your obligation is to your own church, but if you have not identified yourself with some particular church, we cordially invite you to worship with us in the services of the day, beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A message will be delivered at 11 a. m. The subject to be used will be "Heathenism in the Modern Church." Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Miss June Mayo was appointed leader. The evening service will begin at 7:30.

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Ever-Widening War

The European war has, over night, become a menacing, frightening war, whose scope, through a swift and dramatic Nazi move, has been extended to the north and may soon reach down into the Balkans, ultimately engulfing all of Europe, including those nations that escaped the blight of war's withering touch a quarter of a century ago.

Obviously, the bold stroke of the Nazis had been long and carefully planned. Two army corps can not be transported over water and landed on an alien shore in the twinkling of an eye.

Confronted suddenly with this fait accompli, the allies must decide soon the changes in strategy and objectives which the altered situation makes necessary. Will the purpose continue to be the accomplishment of economic strangulation, made more difficult by Nazi invasion of Scandinavia, or will there be a military venture on the theory that the extension of Germany's lines across Denmark and into Norway must necessarily involve a weakening of its position at some vital point?

For the time being, the allies appear to be devoting all their energies toward driving the enemy out of Norway. If this effort succeeds, it will be the first great allied victory of the war.

Today the European war is in an unpredictable stage, at least from the viewpoint of uniformed observers.

In the minds of the German high command, which moves with swiftness and decision, there is no doubt a clear pattern of events and purposes, due to unfold under dramatic circumstances when the moment is opportune. And no doubt the allies have their own plans for bringing the war to a decision.

At any rate, Europe is ablaze. Small nations may expect to perish and large nations must anticipate the day when they will be embroiled and possibly consumed.

It behoves the United States to become increasingly cautious.

GERM EAT GERM

Of thousands of millions of creatures that once trod, crawled upon or flew over the earth there is no physical trace. To soil bacteria is charged this work of dissolution.

Good news, indeed—to mankind at least—if capable of demonstration in a large way, is the declaration that these very soil bacteria produce chemicals, capable of being isolated, which destroy the germs of pneumonia type three. Behind this discovery, announced at Cleveland by Dr. Rene J. Dubos of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, is the hope that further experimentation with soil bacteria will produce chemicals that will feed on other germs that infest man, notably those of tuberculosis.

Prediction as to the ultimate scope of this discovery is vain. That is for protracted experimentation through the years to determine. The principle involved is that the chemicals isolated from bacteria of the soil are themselves living entities with a "sweet tooth" that makes them feed on the sugar coating of particular germs, scoring almost all others. The problem becomes one of finding the right chemical for the particular germ.

To the layman the very terms of discussion of the problem by scientists are all Greek. It is something, however, to know that the study is going on, and that there is basis for hope—"belief" is too strong—that other types of disease will yield to the voracious appetites of chemicals from segregated soil bacteria.

NEW YORK GROWS UP

New York City is getting to be quite an up-and-coming town.

The last farm in Manhattan has finally given up the ghost and turned itself into a parking-place.

Vincenzo Benedetto, 10th avenue and 214th street, held out as long as he could. Practically every year he was good for a story in the papers about "the last farm in Manhattan." In fact, Benedetto himself wearied of this, "Go way," he would say. "I am sick and tired of talking about the farm." Well, he needn't talk any more. Beneath the spreading cherry trees, the clustered autos park.

This climax of urbanization came just in time. For the present census is almost sure to show a trend toward semi-rural living. Vincenzo Benedetto may prove to have been a fleck of foam on the very crest of a wave of urbanization which now begins to recede.

It becomes plainer every day that up until election day the presidential candidates will be unanimous for keeping the United States out of war.

The new Bank of England one-pound note is blue. It may do the business. Green money once helped the United States win a war.

The bombing plane has taken the place of the warhorse all right, but to date it lacks a lot of the warhorse's dramatic appeal.

WE FAVOR THESE PROJECTS FOR MONROE:

Adequate Sanitary Sewerage.
Restocking Fishing Streams.
Municipal Civic Center.
City Beautification Program.

• BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON—The first crack in building trade wages is appearing. Offers by both A. F. of L. and C. I. O. construction trade unions to cut daily wages of skilled builders on small-house work from \$11 and \$15 a day to around \$9 may open the way for all long-deferred building boom.

The old capitalist theory of competition as benefiting the consumer is felt here in labor. The A. F. of L. has long had a monopoly on that half of building trade workers who were organized. But now the C. I. O., led by A. D. Lewis, brother of John L., is entering the building field with new industrial unions. Counter-offers by the rival groups to associations of contractors have resulted in the impending cut in daily wages.

The A. F. of L. first offered, in effect, to reduce and standardize wages for skilled labor in smallhouse construction. Proposal is to set a flat daily rate, probably \$9, for all skilled labor in the building trades, with builders getting around \$4 or \$5 and common labor somewhat less.

The C. I. O.'s new United Construction Workers' Organizing committee countered by suggesting to the New York Building Trades Employers' association that it deal with the C. I. O. on a basis of a straight \$9-a-day top scale and freedom from all jurisdictional disputes.

Struggle For Organization
Prize is the army of workers who now build most of the nation's small homes. No one knows exactly how many there are; estimates range all the way from 500,000 to 2,000,000. Whatever the total, more than half are unorganized.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT



By Ripley WASHINGTON DAYBOOK

By Jack Stinnett

WASHINGTON — Fifty the poor federal communications commission. Junior's home-work in arithmetic isn't even A-B-C compared to the problems that James Lawrence Fly's commission has to solve.

Take Frequency Modulation—hereinafter referred to as FM. Even the name sounds tough. If you are not up on your radio broadcasting and reception, developed principally by Major Edwin Armstrong, the man who gave the world the superheterodyne.

About all you and I have to know is that "high-frequency" means broadcast and reception in the upper megacycles, as opposed to standard amplitude modulation, which is broadcast and received on the lower-bracket wave-lengths, or frequencies. Even the dub knows what "staticless" means. "High fidelity" means you can broadcast anything from a grunt basso to the overtones in a fiddler's upper register—and the right sound will come out in the business end of your receiver.

If That Were All

Now there's no argument that all that would improve broadcasting and reception. The FCC would be only too glad to admit that, if there are nothing else involved. But there are "knowns" in the problem that produce "unknowns" in any answer you work out.

For instance, there are two schools of FM thinkers—the wide band and the narrow band. Major Armstrong and his troops belong to the wide-band army—and they say they need licenses in the very heart of the television broadcasting range. The narrow band boys (RCA, with its crack about "we're ready for FM any time you are," is the leader here) say you don't need the wideband units to make the public take notice. Of course, both sides hold patents.

But that isn't all. FM broadcasting (and consequently reception) has a horizon limit-like television. So, if licenses are granted to broadcasting stations in cities where do the farmers and villagers come in?

Also, if FCC granted FM licenses to every station in the country, where would 45,000,000 radio receiving sets come in? Not at all!

Also, if FCC gives away television's choice wave bands, where will television come in?

If you don't think FCC has a headache, put that problem down on paper and try to find the answer—but don't lose your temper and throw your radio set out the window.

Five Or 10 Years

Mr. Fly and his sextet of experts are being paid to see the march of progress doesn't trample right over your pocketbook. As near as I can find out, here's what is going to happen to your pocketbook. Five to 10 years from now (barring a hundred or so unforeseen possibilities) you and I will be listening to some kind of FM broadcasting, on FM receivers.

Lily Pons can take her highest note and we'll hear every quaver in it. In the broadcasting studio, nails can be hit with a hammer and it'll sound like nails being hit with a hammer. A bell can be rung and it'll sound as if some one rang the bell. A pumpkin can be dropped on the floor and it'll sound "squash"—not like a man being hit over the head as it does today.

In the meantime, maybe some of us will have FM units (cost, \$39.50 up today—but they'll get cheaper later on); or dual receivers (cost: \$125 and up—but they'll come down, too). Broadcasting stations using both types, will supplement standard broadcasts with FM stuff—and if the public really goes for the FM fast, they will increase it and decrease the other until the old squawk-and-chatter days of radio are as dead as the flicker days of films.

TUMMIE TACK

PALM SPRINGS, Calif.—(P)—This desert resort is famous for its sunbathing, but the city council has been asked to require men to wear more than a pair of shorts when on the public streets. Couched in verse, a petition signed by Movie Actor Charles Farrell and several businessmen asks an ordinance to "keep tummies where they can't be seen."

STAMP NEWS

By L. S. Klein



Hohenzollern Prince Still Wears a Crown

NOT all the Hohenzollerns have lost their thrones. King Carol II of Rumania is a member of the same royal family that once ruled imperial Germany.

Rumania's king traces his succession through his father, Ferdinand, to his great-uncle, Carol I, first ruler of independent Rumania, shown on the Rumanian stamp, above, one of a series of 14 commemorating the 100th anniversary of his birth.

Carol I was elected prince by the Rumanian people in 1863. They rejected a native king, chose the second son of Charles Anthony of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen.

MRS. YARBOROUGH DIES AT HOSPITAL

Long-Time Resident Of Monroe To Be Buried Here Today

Mrs. Dovie Gandy Yarbrough, 54, widow of the late J. M. Yarbrough, died at 3:45 o'clock yesterday at a local sanitarium.

Mrs. Yarbrough, who came to Monroe in 1921, was well-known throughout this section of the state. The funeral will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon from the residence at 509 Rochelle. Rev. Ernest Holloway, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will officiate. Burial will be in Riverview cemetery. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Mulhearn Funeral home.

Mrs. Yarbrough is survived by three children, Max Yarbrough of Winnfield, John Yarbrough of Shreveport and Mrs. W. R. Snade of Shreveport; her father, J. E. Gandy of Athens; a brother, Conway Gandy of Athens; a nephew, Dr. Joe Gandy of Houston, Tex.; a niece, Mrs. O. A. Seward of Abilene, Tex., and two grandchildren.

The body was taken to the home last night.

Pallbearers will be J. E. Whitfield, R. B. Garrison, R. A. Garrison, F. F. Smith, Julius Fink, Ivy Jordan, Benoit Herring, Lee Whitehurst and Sidney Grubbs.

UNION SELECTS 14 PARISH DELEGATES

MARION, April 13.—(Special)—At a meeting of the Union Parish Democratic executive committee in Farmerville Friday the question of the manner in which delegates to the state convention to be held in Baton Rouge on June 4 for the purpose of electing delegates and alternates to the national Democratic convention in Chicago in July, the naming of presidential electors and the electing of a national committeewoman, was fully discussed.

It was brought out at the meeting that to elect delegates by primary election would cost almost a thousand dollars. After going into the matter thoroughly it was decided that inasmuch as the parish committee was elected in January primary and was thus fresh from the people, that the only feasible procedure to take was for the committee to elect the delegates.

The delegates elected were Mrs. Harold N. Albritton, Farmerville; A. C. Allen, Downsville; R. L. Hill, Halle; W. H. Harris, Bernice; K. D. Lankford, Halle; J. M. Talbot, Bernice; K. S. Thompson and B. K. Watson, Marion; A. C. Dykes and S. A. Gibson, Farmerville; Dr. M. W. Laurence, Bernice; Tom F. Terrall, Cherry Ridge; R. M. Murphy, Downsville, and Doyle Smith, Farmerville. The eight first named are members of the parish committee and Doyle Smith is a member of the state central committee.

DEER CENSUS

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore.—(P)—It's census year—and by modern methods, too—even in the wildlife world. Forest service officials counted 1,800 antelope in a six-hour flight over 600,000 acres of rugged northern California mountains and valleys. In other years it required weeks to complete the survey on foot and by horseback.

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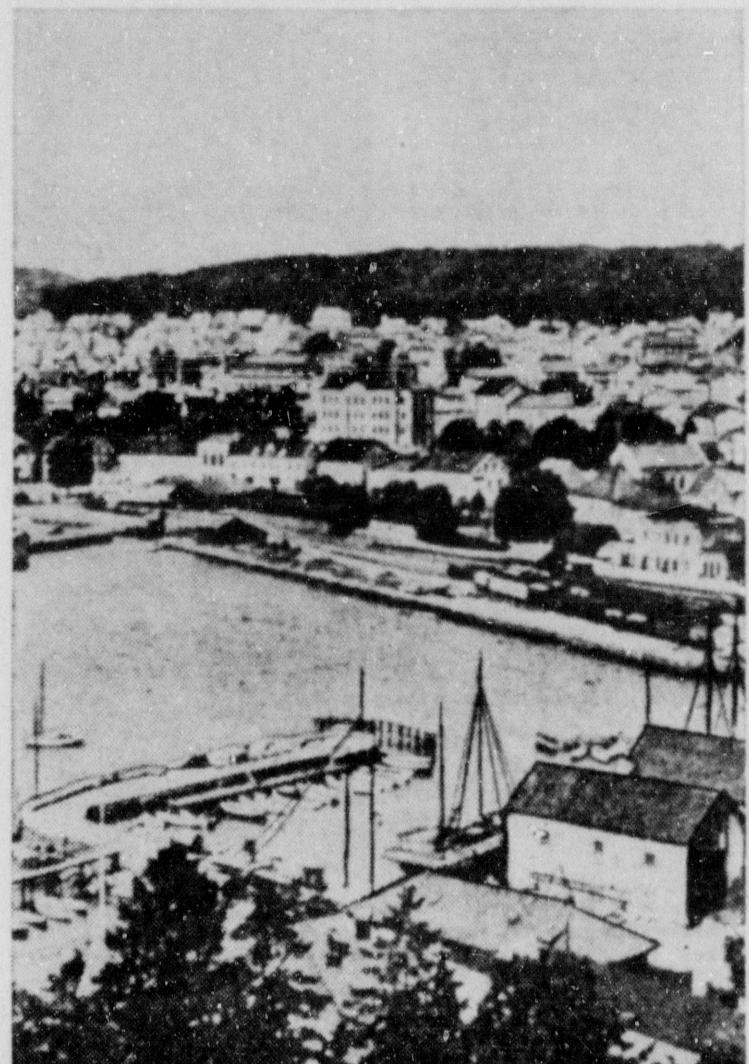
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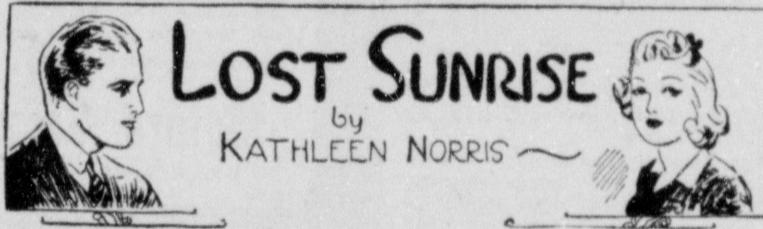
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PAWN OF WARRING POWERS



The inhabitants of Narvik (above), important Norwegian port, were blasted from sleep at dawn by a naval battle in the city's "front yard," when British destroyers attacked German warships in the harbor. The German ships, protecting a landing force which had seized the city, repulsed the attack, sinking one British destroyer and forcing another aground.



INSTALMENT XIII

Gwen said, slowly, "Oh yes, I'll tell Dick, because I simply must. I can't go in and pretend that I'm not devastated, and I'll be sure to mention the boxer sooner or later. Everyone isn't as jealous as you are, Van."

Van had her hand again, tight in his own.

"I love you so much," he said. "You are wonderful, wonderful woman. As long as I live I shall never forget leaning over your shoulder tonight, with your hair against my cheek, Gwen."

She made no answer. It was too bad, she thought, that he should feel so. Within her being there was no response, no sudden uplift of fear and joy, such as Dick's gruffest word had power to arouse in her. With Van she felt only immense embarrassment and reluctance and sympathy for his feeling. As soon as she and Dick had settled their plans he would know of it, she thought uncomfortably, and then he would find some other woman. Meanwhile—if only he wouldn't grow

affectionate—

When they reached her corner she said something shyly about not being able to ask him to come up. Oh no, she said quickly, adding, "And when do I see you again, darling?"

"Soon." This was awkward, getting away. They were on the sidewalk when he put his arms about her and kissed her good night. Gwen said nothing more as she escaped into the darkness of the apartment-house stairs.

When Dick came in to breakfast the next morning, he found Gwen in her kimono again, eager to tell him of the opera. She had decided that the simple truth would be her wisest course, but she saw his face darken as the recital went on, and altered it judiciously.

"Changed the seats, did he?"

"Well, yes. He knew a man at her door; he said he was in a case once that this man brought about election returns or something. So he took the seats and sold them, and Van got others."

"Downstairs?"

"Oh yes. And Dick, it was wonderful! I never dreamed . . ." She was off with a good start upon the musical element of the evening now, but when he spoke it was still of Van. "How'd he happen to be there?"

"He loves music. He plays the piano marvelously, you know."

They idled at the table. The streets were quiet in the early morning. Now and then church bells rang. Gwen asked Dick if he had had a hard night. "No, it was darned interesting!" Afterward Gwen helped in the kitchen, got herself

ready to go to the opera, and then she and Dick went to the theater. They were in the audience when the curtain went up, and the play began.

"Gwen," Dick said, "doesn't your mother mind our having dinner alone this way?"

"No," Gwen answered sedately. "She knows we like each other, of course, and that we have a good deal to talk over. It's time to light that fire, Dick," she added, in a matter-of-fact tone. "Mother's very practical," finished Gwen. "She knows we're serious."

Kneeling on one knee, he slowly shook out the lighted match before it had touched the fire. She saw the look in his face change, his eyes soften. He got to his feet, and they stood facing each other.

"Do you mean what you said, Gwen?" Dick asked, his big hands on her shoulders. She locked her hands about his neck, trying to laugh.

"Do—do you want me to?"

"Do I want you to?"

"You never said so." The wind was blowing her dark curls, her slender young body strait into his arms; their cheeks were together.

"Because I—because I—oh, darling!" Dick whispered. And for a moment the whole world, to Gwen, was only a man's kiss. When she emerged breathless from his embrace, and could hold him at arm's length, she was laughing triumphantly.

"You knew it all the time, since that first Sunday!" she reproached him. "The Sunday we went to the Arcades!"

"Know it? I never dared dream it! I didn't—but, Gwen," he interrupted himself, his mood chilled. "I can't go to Scotland now!"

"Ah yes, you can. That's just it. You must. All the more."

"But we can't wait four years! We can't wait one."

"We'll have to, Dick."

"I can't. I won't. I'll get a job running an elevator." She was tight in his arms again, her hair tumbled, her breath stopped.

"It won't be four years, Dick. We'll find a way before that."

"Gwen, you're so wonderful," he was saying, laughing shakily, breathing like a man who had been running. "Sit down here, let's talk! We're engaged, do you get that? We're engaged! And only yes-

terday I was worrying because I couldn't get you better seats for the opera, and take you in a taxi. Engaged, hey? What do you know about that?"

"It's a mere detail," she said. "But you haven't said yet that you love me. I brought this subject up, remember?"

"Oh, lord, do I love you! Wait until we've been married 20 years and I'll tell you I love you!"

"You never would have asked me, I suppose?"

"I didn't dare! I've been going around for weeks—months—wondering how I could. I couldn't even give you the right kind of engagement ring. I can't now. But by George—"

"Dick, darling, don't worry about a ring. Worry about having enough warm clothes for Scotland. Worry about getting there. Will it cost you a lot?"

"No, they send me fifty pounds. I can do it swell on that. I'll go tourist, or third, I don't care. Gwen, I don't care about anything now, so long as you'll wait for me. And you'll be proud of me, you'll see! I'll work! And I'll save, too. I'll save!"

"I'm proud of you now. Why, Dick," Gwen said, "poor or rich, successful or failure, you're just my fate. I'll cook for you in two little rooms in the Mission, or I'll be the wife of the great spine specialist. I don't care!"

"I adore you!" Dick said in a low tone. Another voice had said that in her hearing, and not so long before, but it had not reached her as this voice did. No other woman in the world had ever heard Dick Latimer say that. Seated with her back braced against the smooth shoulder of a rock, Gwen put out her hand, and he flung himself down beside her and caught the hand to his lips. "I adore you!" he said again, under his breath. "To wait for you for years, Gwen! It seems more than I can do! I want you so, so much!"

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"What happened to his first wife?"

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"He's in love with you, though."

"It'll be heaven!" he said gruffly, as she paused, in a voice almost ashamed of its own emotion.

"Those three years will be nothing. We'll still be young. The glory—the glory, Dick," Gwen said, "is that we've found each other. In spite of my being buried in Kentish, and you being

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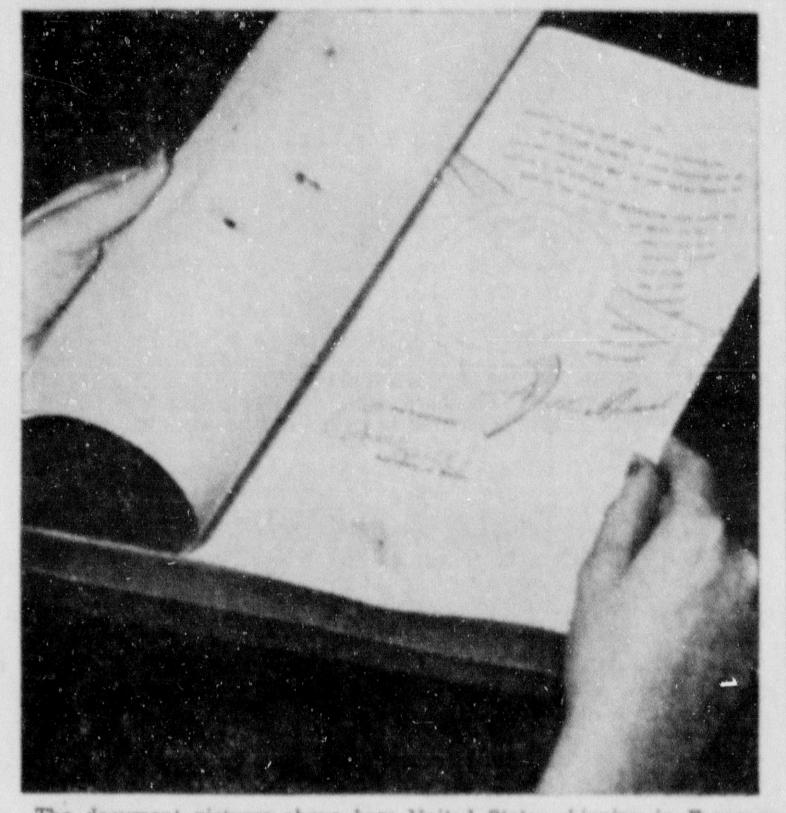
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"I don't think it'll be three years. I think I'll come to Edinburgh and we'll be married there in less than two."

"I'll bet on it," he said. He took a paper and pen from his pocket, and they entered upon definite calculations. Rent, so much. Food, certainly not more than so much. Clothes—clothes lasted a long time. And for

WAR ZONE BAN, SIGNED AND SEALED



The document pictures above bars United States shipping in European waters from inside the Arctic circle down to Spain. Signed by the president and Secretary of State Hull, it is the extension of the neutrality act combat zone area to include Scandinavia and Russian Arctic ports.

a slave to those clinics, we've actually found each other."

"Was any one else in the world as happy as this, ever?" Dick said, as they ate their luncheon.

"And yesterday," he added, "I was wondering if you were going to marry that—that sap!"

"Van? Oh, Dick, no! He's—he must be nearly forty, to begin with."

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a while they were alone in a little heaven of their own.

At three o'clock they walked to the bus, sandy, blinking, weary, but there was no fatigue in their bright eyes as they talked all the long way into town, and Dick's arm for the first time tight about her, felt as if she could never be tired or discouraged or doubtful again. There was a deep restfulness in the security of loving and being loved; she could not drink deep enough of it.

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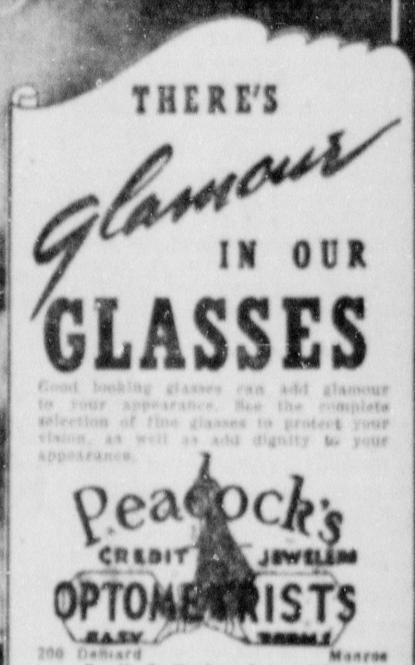
As the population of cities grows, the birth rate declines, statistics show

MARGINAL COAL MINES
LAUSANNE.—(P)—Switzerland's wartime coal mines are being worked again for the first time in 20 years. A century ago the Swiss discovered small coal deposits in the Valais canton near Lausanne, but they are worth operation only when wars in Europe raise the price of coal. Three such mines have been opened recently.

DRIVERS TO BLAME

A Pennsylvania professor, on completing a five-year study of automobile accidents, concludes that at least 65 per cent of all traffic accidents can be blamed on the drivers.

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FIERCE FIGHTING CLAIMED BY NAZIS

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spite earlier reports the Germans had captured it. The Norwegian flag still was said to be flying from the Halden fortress.

Further north sharp street fighting was reported at Sarpsborg, about 20 miles away, where Norwegian Nazis were reported numerous.

The town of Kongsvinger, 50 miles northeast of Oslo near the Swedish frontier, still was held by the Norwegians, although all civilians had left in anticipation of German attack.

The newspaper *Lena Tidningen* at Östersund, in central Sweden opposite the important Norwegian port of Trondheim, which the Germans hold, said today that a telephoned dispatch from Stjordal, 15 miles east of Trondheim, disclosed that 26 German bombing planes were stationed there. In addition, 22 more were reported on their way there.

This newspaper also brought to light a story which may solve the mystery of how the Germans on Tuesday were able to pass so easily by the fortress Agdenes which guards the outer entrance to the narrow Trondheim fjord.

This report was that the fortress had stopped the German fleet and was holding them off until received an order from Major Vidkun Quisling, head of the Norwegian Nazi party, ostensibly issued in the name of the Norwegian government and ordering the defenders not to resist.

Later, according to this story, contradictory order came from the regular government of Premier Johan Nygaardsvold, but it was too late. The German ships were inside the fortress.

The *Lena Tidningen* said that all children and old people had been evacuated from Trondheim, a rail point of great strategic value which the allies may try to take from the Germans.

The Stockholm radio tonight broadcast a report that several large British warships were landing troops at Narvik under heavy bombardment from German warplanes and land forces.

A former premier and foreign minister to Norway, Johan Ludwig Mowinkel, said in an interview here that the situation in Norway was brighter.

Major Quisling, who proclaimed a group of his followed the new "government" of all Norway last Tuesday, is in charge of only a limited district around Oslo which has been occupied by the Germans, said Mowinkel.

Major Quisling is in control of the Oslo radio stations and newspapers, Mowinkel said, and thus has the best means of reaching the people.

WAR BULLETINS

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Ked army troops in the north and mobilized the Soviet Arctic fleet against any eventuality resulting from the conflict in Scandinavia.

COPENHAGEN, April 13.—(AP)—United States consular officials sought tonight to arrange transportation for United States citizens from German-occupied Denmark to Italy, where they could embark for home.

If enough Americans desire to leave the country, consulate officials said, a special train probably would be arranged to speed them through Germany to Genoa.

Americans were warned against attempting to travel on belligerent ships.

AMSTERDAM, April 13.—(AP)—Netherlands radio programs were interrupted tonight for a special broadcast of a British denial of rumors that English troop transports are on the way to Holland.

The communiqué said the report had been carried by the German radio and published in the Berlin newspaper *Nachtausgabe*.

LONDON, April 13.—(AP)—Clement R. Attlee, leader of the labor opposition in parliament, said in a broadcast today "It is probable that before long our soldiers and our people at home will have to face the full fury of a Nazi attack."

He based his prediction on the belief that the Norwegian campaign "may well be the prelude to attacks of the utmost violence by land and sea and air."

Hand embroidery engages 25,000 workers in Funchal, Madeira. Embroidered articles are the island's chief export trade item.

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DIVING HORSES FEATURE OF WEST MONROE SHOW



Presenting what has been acclaimed the "world's greatest free attraction," introducing Dorothy Fay and her high diving horses, the mighty Sheeley midway, traveling on its own special railroad train of 30 double-length cars, presenting 20 high class shows and 20 new, modern, sensational riding devices, opens a week's engagement in the Twin Cities Monday under auspices of the Burnett Downs post, American Legion, on the Ouachita fairgrounds in West Monroe. Dorothy Fay, a girl of the plains of northwest Texas, recently publicized in "Look" magazine because of her unique presentation, has been secured by the management of this big show to present her high diving horses as the mighty feature of the midway, shown above. Her thoroughbred Arabian horses have been trained to dive from a specially constructed tower, 46 feet in the air, into a tank of water 12 feet in depth and the horses enjoy their work, as the patrons of the big show will readily realize when they witness this marvelous act.

Congress Adjournment May Kill Anti-Lynching Bill

Southern Senators May Be Spared Talking The Act To Death

By Ben Grant

WASHINGTON, April 13.—(AP)—The adjournment rush might spare the south's senators from the ordeal of talking this year's anti-lynching bill to death.

Bills which fail to get action at this session do not hold over until next year, but die with adjournment. In 1941, the progress already made by the anti-lynching bill would be erased, and the measure would have to travel the whole tedious legislative route again.

Present goal of the administration is to adjourn early in June. The leadership is taking no chances on letting that plan be foiled by an anti-lynching filibuster.

Some legislators said the strategy apparently was to keep the senate so busy with other legislation—that qualifying for the "must" list—that there never would be a lull for the lynch bill's friends to use in calling it up for consideration.

Southern senators, who dislike filibuster, were hopeful the bill would die a quiet death. But they missed no bets.

The other day, Chairman Glass, Democrat, Virginia, of the senate appropriations committee, proposed an amendment to senate rules to require that all speeches in any appropriation debate be confined to the bill under consideration.

Senator Connally, Democrat, Texas, leader of anti-lynching foes, quickly objected, insisting on full and free discussion of all questions before the debate.

He did not say so, but some believed Connally looked forward to a time when the anti-lynch bill might be stopped by a prolonged debate on the measure immediately preceding it on the senate's legislative schedule. If that happened to be an appropriation bill, Glass' plan would preclude such strategy.

The Glass motion was not adopted.

Southerners also guarded against the lynch measure's being hung onto the end of some other bill as a rider. In fact, they kept the debate against the Hatch "pernicious politics" bill going until they received assurances the anti-lynching bill would not be coupled with it.

Chances for an expansion of the south's sugar industry appeared slim this week-end.

Although Louisiana and Florida

NAZIS DEFY FOES IN NORWAY AREA

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to Trondheim to strengthen the captured Norwegian coast defenses.

5. German penetration of the Norwegian interior continued relentlessly and in the far north their troops took over the Narvik railway which brings Swedish ore to the Arctic.

6. British air attacks were ineffectual, raiders losing 12 planes yesterday while the Germans were losing five.

The British admitted the loss of 11 aircraft in attacks Friday and Saturday on German-held bases in Norway but claimed a munitions warehouse was blown up in Bergen, a hangar badly damaged at Stavanger and warships and supply ships bombed and machine-gunned.

Germans were almost scornful of British reports that the Skagerrak, the Kattegat and the North Sea were being mined to bottle up German shipping and naval vessels.

"The British navy cannot lay mines in spots which its ships cannot reach," they said.

With Denmark under German control and the campaign in Norway proceeding, Sweden was seen by Germans to be veering from what was interpreted here as hostile neutrality toward Germany to benevolent neutrality.

The Swedish government, according to information received in the Wilhelmstrasse, appeared to have given assurances that the press and radio no longer would depend upon news alleged to be of British and French origin and hence hostile to Germany.

Informed sources asserted there was a practical economic side to the question of Sweden's neutrality.

When the port of Lulea, at the head of the Gulf of Bothnia, becomes ice-free next month, it was considered likely that Germany would try to have iron ore from northern Sweden shipped from there rather than along the Norwegian coast, regardless of how strongly German forces may have become entrenched along the latter.

Beyond that, neutral military experts in the German capital said they felt Sweden—say yet by the force of circumstances—be drawn into Ger-

PUBLIC PROTESTS ON AMENDMENTS

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sales tax, and to keep the tax on the state books of the state. Had the state machine won, its forces would have united to defeat the amendment next Tuesday. Later, when urged to repeal the tax by legislative act, machine leaders would have responded that the people had already spoken and their voice was in favor of the tax. This sales tax has been one of the most prolific and dependable sources of deadhead and waste within reach of the machine. The cost of administering it has been prodigious.

Amendment No. 2 is considered to be, in a sense, non-political. But, it is condemned by the fact that it adds to the power of the Orleans levee board, a body which has been the source of many political scandals. The amendment proposes to transfer to the United States for coast guard purposes a tract of land along Lake Pontchartrain. But, the limits of the proposed grant are not described in the amendment. On the contrary, that enactment says "the location and size of the tract is to be determined by the said board." It is generally felt that the Jones legislature should redraft and resubmit this amendment at a time when there is a levee board which has the full confidence of the people.

The original constitution comprised 127 printed pages, of which the schedule embraced 3, making the 1931 instrument just 124 pages in length. The Louisiana constitution reprinted in 1938 comprised 246 pages, of which 3 were devoted to the schedule. Each of the pages of the 1938 edition was longer by five lines than those of the 1931 edition. If the page measurement today is twice the size it was when it was passed during the administration of Governor John M. Parker, in 1921.

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The chief objection urged to the amendment exempting gasoline watercraft, aircraft and farm equipment from payment of gasoline taxes, is that it contravenes the federal constitution by weakening the collateral behind highway bonds. When these bonds were issued and sold all of the gasoline taxes were dedicated to the payment of interest and bond redemption. It is claimed now that this collateral cannot be constitutionally changed. Besides, while it is well known that the amendment was passed to get the votes of south Louisiana fishermen who use gasoline boats, a political stroke that failed, the amendment does not confine the proposed exemption to gasoline boats used in trade or commerce, but includes pleasure craft as well.

The purpose of Amendment No. 4 would appear to be patriotic, but it was a carelessly executed political ex-

HEART MENDED



Accidentally shot through the heart, Mrs. Eloise Edralin (above) of New York, was pulled back from death's door by a tiny bit of silk thread—and the skill of Dr. William A. Fraser. Dr. Fraser cut away ribs, reached into the chest cavity, brought her punctured heart out. Three deft stitches closed the wound. Eleven days later, Mrs. Edralin was well on the road to recovery.

write, abbreviate and depolitcalize the organic law of the state. There is a growing belief in Louisiana that the state constitution should contain principles and not legislation.

RAYVILLE MAN WINNER IN MOOT COURT FINALS

BATON ROUGE, La., April 13.—(P)—F. Hodge O'Neal, Rayville, and Cyrus Greco, Tickfaw, won the annual moot court finals of the Louisiana State university law school today.

Runners-up in the competition, a major scholastic contest for law seniors, were Albert DeRidder, and Hamlet May, Bogalusa.

Sitting as judges in the finals were Associate Justices Fred M. Odom, John B. Fournet and Amos L. Ponder of the Louisiana supreme court.

New Zealand scientists have discovered native forests in the Antipodes are suited to fiberboard processing, and have imported American equipment for a wallboard plant.

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CATTLE INDUSTRY COMES TO STATE

Louisiana Takes Big Strides In Recent Years To Improve Stock

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—(AP)—The wooly west, moving into Louisiana, already deep in old world superstitions, has given the state some new bugaboos.

Within five years Louisiana, overcoming a scourge that made its cattle a sorry blight on the market, has imported fabulous bulls with the blood of champions.

The cattle industry is now worth at least \$40,000,000, while 2,000,000 cattle graze on land which the rest of the world probably thought was exclusively devoted to cotton, vegetables, or just wind and weather.

The tick was so bad here in 1929 that the federal government and tick-free states imposed a rigid quarantine against the 42 infested parishes of the state's 64.

But five years ago the tick which made Louisiana cattle a step-child in the rest of the country was eradicated. Since then 8,300 registered bulls have been brought into the state to improve the Louisiana breed.

With a \$1,000,000 packing plant (Swift and company) at Lake Charles, that city held the first southwest Louisiana fat stock show.

Rodeos followed. Bronc riders, bulldoggers, calf ropers, wild Brahma bull riders, they all have their pet superstition, some in common, some exclusively a man's own.

These were some of the ideas they have brought into Louisiana:

No rodeo cowboy, whether he rides broncs or ropes calves, would dare eat peanuts in front of the chutes.

Whistling is worse. It's a safe occupation in the bathroom—but not when the wild Brahma bulls come out.

A yellow shirt or a new rein on a bucking horse comes under bad luck. A trick rider, however, may wear orange that is definitely orange.

When a bronc rider must buy a new rein, he hands it over to some non-superstitious ranch hand to be broken in like a new pair of shoes.

The same sentiment develops for a lucky shirt, a trampy-looking hat, or a pair of chaps.

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A blow on an eel's tail will kill it more quickly than a blow on its head.

FIRE CUTS SWATH OF 16 BLOCKS IN PANAMA

COLON, Panama, April 13.—(AP)—Cutting a swath 16 blocks wide through Colon, a wind-swept fire tonight destroyed hundreds of frame tenement houses and left approximately 10,000 persons homeless before it was controlled by a small army of firefighters.

The fire raged for hours in this city on the Atlantic side of the Panama canal before United States army officials announced its spread was stopped. Its origin was not determined immediately.

The army officials also said it was

impossible to estimate immediately the property damage.

No casualties were reported.

The fire never reached the American town, New Cristobal, but it did cut off traffic between Cristobal, seat of the port administration, and New Cristobal, where United States employees of the Panama canal reside.

Lettuce was introduced into England from Holland in 1520.

NEW V. F. W. POST NOW AT FERRIDAY

Louisiana Leads All Departments Of Nations In New Posts

A post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars was organized Friday night in Ferriday with a prospective charter of thirty-five overseas veterans to start the organization.

B. L. Green was elected temporary commander, C. E. Osterburg elected senior commander, J. C. Antolin, junior commander, Alex Ourso, quartermaster, and D. R. Porter elected officer of the day.

The next meeting was scheduled for April 26. L. F. Fish of Lake Charles, C. W. Wilson of Alexandria and C. A. Hunt of Monroe all department officers, were in charge of the organization.

The addition of the Ferriday post keeps the department out in front as Louisiana is leading the entire country in new posts organized since the department encampment held in Monroe last June, with thirteen new units since that time. The Veterans of Foreign Wars state service commission in operation since August 1, 1938, has secured through pension and compensation, and increased compensation and pensions, back pay, bonuses, travel pay to disabled veterans, more than \$136,000 on the appropriation given the organization by the legislature in session in 1938 which was \$10,000 per year.

This is one bureau that has not operated in the red more than \$50 overseas veterans not before members of the organization are added to the department membership in these new posts organized this administration. C. A. Hunt is the service commander and chief of staff for the department.

DEATHS

WILLIAM W. COOPER

QUITMAN, La., April 14.—(Special)—William W. Cooper, 70, died in a sanitarium in Shreveport Tuesday morning April 9. He had been ill for some time.

Mr. Cooper is survived by his wife and nine children, Roy William, Selma Lemon of Quitman, Mrs. Eva Gare of Ruston, Printess, Markom, Reece and Miss Bell Cooper of Ruston; his father, Uncle Billie Cooper of Quitman; and one brother, Albert Cooper of Punkin Center.

Interment was in Antioch cemetery Thursday morning at 7:30 o'clock.

MRS. J. J. FOSTER

ALTO, La., April 14.—(Special)—Mrs. J. J. Foster, 78, died Thursday, April 11, at 3:20 o'clock at the home of her son, Frank T. Foster.

The funeral services were held Saturday at 2:00 p.m. near Wesson, Miss. The Hartman Funeral home of Brookhaven, New Orleans, will be in charge. Rev. H. G. Hammons, pastor of the Alto Baptist church, will officiate.

Mrs. Foster has resided with her children since the death of her husband 16 years ago.

She is survived by the following children: Mrs. H. R. Robbins, West Monroe; Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Haughton.

PLAY SUIT FOR GROWNUPS

FOR the sophisticated, dashing type, Florence Gainer created this bold, colorful summer play suit. The shirt and shorts are of natural beige rayon, which looks like linen, and the full, gathered, wrap-around skirt, which ties with a bow in front or back, is of matching material in grape purple, billiard green, bright red, butter yellow and white stripes.



tion: A. R. Foster, Jackson, Miss.; C. A. Foster, Jackson, Miss.; R. D. Foster, Vicksburg, Miss.; M. L. Foster, McComb, Miss.

Also surviving are a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

JACK BINION
The body of Jack Binion will arrive here tonight from California, where he died several days ago, and the funeral will be held at Alto tomorrow.

A military funeral will be held. Battery G of the 204th Coast artillery will furnish the firing squad. The body will arrive at 7:45 o'clock tonight over the Illinois Central railroad. The remains will be taken to the Mulhearn Funeral home here and the cortège will leave for Alto at about 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, it was announced.

The funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church in Alto. Rev. Williams of Many and Rev. Hammonds of Alto will officiate. The pallbearers will be selected from Mr. Binion's friends at Alto.

GEORGE JESSEL MARRIES 16-YEAR-OLD SHOW GIRL

DETROIT, April 13.—(AP)—Wedding bells rang for the third time today for Comedian George Jessel.

With James H. R. Cromwell, United States minister in Canada, as best man, the 42-year-old stage star and 16-year-old Lois Andrews, New York showgirl, were married in the bride's fifteenth floor suite in a downtown hotel.

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1939	Ford DeLuxe Sport Coupe, maroon paint, Mercury "35" H. P. motor, high speed rear end, 160 miles speedo- meter, radio, white side tires, fog lights, practically new. SPECIAL REDUCTION	\$599	1939	Chevrolet Master "35" Coach, 9,000 miles. Was \$615, now.....	\$505
1939	Dodge 4-Door Luxury Liner Sedan, radio, 9,000 miles, Was \$695, now.....	\$599	1939	Buick Special Coupe, maroon finish, 14,000 miles. Was \$695, now.....	\$565
1939	Ford "36" 2-Door Sedan, 8,500 miles Was \$545, now.....	\$440	1939	Convertible 4-Door Sedan, radio, 11,205 miles. Cost new \$875.	\$745
			1939	Mercury Club Coupe 5-Passenger, light cream paint job, black fenders, Only 6,000 miles. Was \$125, now.....	\$625
			1939	Dodge Coupe, new motor. Was \$515, now.....	\$550
			1939	Oldsmobile 4-Door Sedan, 14,000 miles. Was \$699, now.....	\$635

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By GEORGE V. LOFTON

SOX PROSPECTS

Before getting out on the well-known limb and predicting where the Monroe White Sox will or will not finish in the league standings for the coming season, it would be wise to consider, for the time being at least, the problems that face Manager "Poco" Taitt at the present.

It is the decisions that he will be forced to make in the next two or three weeks that will determine, to a great extent, just how the Sox will fare in the matter of games won and lost. And if anybody doesn't think the skipper has his problems, just try to figure them out for him. It is a problem for the manager and it is no easy one. If he guesses correctly all will be well and good; but if the team does not function in winning proportions, he will have the wrath of a few baseball bugs to contend with.

First of all, Taitt has, at the present time, nine class men and the league rule limits the number of class men to seven. Therefore, two class men must go by cutting-down time, which is 20 days after the season opens. Should he protect his pitching staff by carrying as many seasoned campaigners as possible and let the youngsters play the infield and outfield or vice versa? Are any of the youngsters showing up well enough to replace any of the outfield or infield veterans? Can Robert Burt, the Ruston flash, force Bob Hill to the bench? Is there an infielder in the Sox camp that can push Frank Hackney out of the lineup?

Mr. Taitt, here is where you earn your money! You have been worth every cent you've received since coming to Monroe that fateful day in June, 1938, and we still believe you are capable of solving the problems that face you as well as we believe that we are capable of solving our own individual troubles. Maybe the thing will work itself out.

Twenty days after the season opens is a long time off. If, for some reason, your decision does not work out for the winning ways of the Sox, it still can be remedied. You remedied one team after the first of June and you remedied one last season in time to finish 16½ games in front of the pack. So, in the words of Scarlett O'Hara, we will not worry about that today, it might run us crazy.

THE OTHER CLUBS

How about the other teams in the league? We have very little information on what the other teams think they will have for the coming season. So far no one has wired us that they expect to win a pennant. They seem to be going about their business in a very quiet way.

Greenville looks like they will be able to take care of themselves. Andy Reece, the former Memphis Chick who is in charge of things at Greenville, has been in the business quite a while and knows what it is all about. Everyone who knows anything about Guy Sturdy says you can depend upon him having a good club. We know that he is a scrapping manager, because Guy let his temper get out of control a couple of years ago and was suspended by Judge Bramham for 90 playing days. Cecil Coombs, the former business manager of the Fort Worth club, is managing the Hot Springs Bathers and he has plenty of contacts and probably will be heard from. Bud Clancy, the former big league first baseman, will direct the destinies of the Helena Seaporters and will probably get help from the Cincinnati Reds. Red Rollings, a smart manager and a good fielder, will pilot the Pine Bluff Judges. Cowboy Jones will be back at Clarksville and the Cowboy's record in this league is plenty good. That brings us down to Greenwood, last year's champions. L. B. Jones will attempt to manage whatever George Brannon of the Jackson Senators send to him. And Larry Gilbert told us last year that George Brannon could beg more ball players than any one else he know of could buy.

The league should be faster this year, not only because of the fact that it is studded with better managers but because it has repeated the "simon pure" rule. This year the clubs will not be forced to carry two rookies with no previous professional experience. The clubs whose "simon pure" came through last year were well up in the percentage column when the season was over. Monroe had its Murrell Jones and Lefty Hinton, Hot Springs had its Zachar and Carter and Clarksville had Lee and Gilbert. Seven men with unlimited experience as allowed in the Cotton States league makes it much faster than most class C leagues.

See you at the game!

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THE STANDINGS

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
Nashville	2	0	1.000
Knoxville	1	0	1.000
New Orleans	1	1	.500
Little Rock	1	1	.500
Birmingham	1	1	.500
Atlanta	1	1	.500
Memphis	1	1	.500
Chattanooga	0	1	

Yesterdays Results

Memphis 14; Little Rock 7; Birmingham 5; New Orleans 3; Nashville 12; Atlanta 3; Knoxville 7; Chattanooga 4.

TODAY'S GAMES

New Orleans at Birmingham; Memphis at Little Rock; Nashville at Atlanta; Chattanooga at Knoxville.

TEXAS LEAGUE

Teams	Won	Lost	Pct.
San Antonio	1	0	1.000
Fort Worth	1	1	.500
Beaumont	1	1	.500
Tulsa	1	1	.500
Shreveport	1	1	.500
Houston	1	1	.500
Oklahoma City	1	1	.500
Dallas	0	1	.000

Yesterdays Results

Oklahoma City 14; Beaumont 11; San Antonio 8; Dallas 4; Houston 5; Tulsa 4; Shreveport 13; Fort Worth 6.

TODAY'S GAMES

Fort Worth at Shreveport; Oklahoma City at Beaumont; Dallas at San Antonio; Tulsa at Houston.

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YANKS SELECTED TO WIN FIFTH STRAIGHT

ONLY 11 EXPERTS
BELIEVE CHAMPS
WILL NOT REPEAT

Red Sox, Indians And White
Sox Receive Votes Of
Confidence

NEW YORK, April 13.—(P)—The New York Yankees are a cinch to win their fifth straight American league pennant in the opinion of a majority of the experts but there are still a few die-hards who foresee the breaking up of Joe McCarthy's powerful machine.

The 17 baseball writers participating in the Associated Press' annual poll followed last year's order of finish pretty much in making their 1940 predictions. Sixty-six of them placed the Yankees in the No. 1 slot. Nine selected the Boston Red Sox as the new league champions while the Cleveland Indians and Chicago White Sox each received the confidence of one writer.

Receiving no votes for below second and on the basis of eight points for first place, seven for second, etc., the Yanks piled up a total of 605 points. The Red Sox were just as firmly entrenched in second place with 536 points, the majority of which were garnered from the 37 runner-up votes.

The Indians, polling votes for the first five places, received 438 points, placing them in third place—just where they finished last fall. Then came the only transposition in the order of 1939's final standings—the placing of Detroit over Chicago. But the margin between the two teams was small—359 to 346.

Washington, Philadelphia and St. Louis took over the last three positions without much competition. The Senators polled votes for each of the last five places but generally were selected for sixth. The Athletics, with the experts apparently believing they can't be as bad as the Browns, moved into seventh, promotion from the cellar in last year's selections.

Only one writer dared to select the Browns for as high as sixth. Eleven placed them seventh and the remainder saw no hopes for better than eighth.

Results of the poll, including the number of votes for each team for each place and the total points figured on an 8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1 basis:

Team	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Pts.
New York, 1st	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	605
Boston, 2nd	9	87	10	1	—	—	—	—	536
Cleveland, 3rd	1	9	40	15	8	—	—	—	438
Detroit, 4th	—	—	33	28	2	3	—	—	359
Chicago, 5th	1	—	14	21	29	9	3	—	346
Washington, 6th	—	—	3	11	43	18	2	228	
Philadelphia, 7th	—	—	3	22	43	10	228		
St. Louis, 8th	—	—	—	1	11	65	102		

NEW YORK, April 13.—(P)—Probable pitchers for Tuesday's opening games in the major baseball leagues with last year's won and lost record:

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York at Philadelphia—Ruffing (21-7) vs. Dean (5-8).

Boston at Washington—Grove (15-4) vs. Leonard (20-8).

Cleveland at Chicago—Feller (24-9) vs. Smith (10-11).

St. Louis at Detroit—Kennedy (9-20) vs. Bridges (17-7) or Newson (20-8).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago at Cincinnati—Lee (19-15) vs. Derringer (25-7).

Pittsburgh at St. Louis—Klinger (14-17) vs. Davis (22-16) or Warneke (13-7).

Brooklyn at Boston—Wynn (8-3) vs. Posedel (15-13).

Philadelphia at New York—Higbe (12-15) or Mulcahy (9-16) vs. Hubbell (11-9).

SHAW LARGEST MONEY WINNER

Entrant In Indianapolis Race
Has Coined \$71,300
In Prizes

INDIANAPOLIS, April 13.—(P)—"Dapper" Shaw of Indianapolis, the "Dapper Dan" of automobile racing who won last year's 500-mile race here, has become the biggest money winner in the history of the event.

Officials dug back through their records today and figured out that Shaw had pocketed \$71,300 in winnings on the Indianapolis speedway since he first raced on the track in 1927.

His \$20,000 first prize money last year enabled him to pass Louis Meyer of Huntington Park, Calif., in prize money and his standing at the head of the parade apparently is secure because Meyer, who won three races and \$69,000, has announced his retirement from the speed game.

Shaw finished fourth in 1927, second in 1933, 1935 and 1938; seventh in 1936, and first in 1937 and 1939.

Meyer was first in 1928, 1933 and 1936; second in 1929, and fourth in 1930 and 1937.

If Meyer stands by his retirement pledge, Shaw will be the only driver in this year's race among the first 10 money winners.

Trailing Shaw and Meyer are Tom Milton of Detroit, two-time winner, \$49,600; Harry Hartz of Los Angeles, never a winner but winner in 1915, \$31,400; the late Bill Cummings of Indianapolis, 1934 winner, \$30,200; Rene Thomas of Paris, France, winner in 1914, \$30,000, and Jules Goux of Paris, France, 1913 victor, \$28,500.

FORGOTTEN GREAT MAN
GALVESTON, Tex.—(P)—An oil painting of a man of distinguished appearance has hung in the Galveston courthouse for 40 years but nobody seems to know who he was. The portrait now rests in the office of Charles Dibrell, district judge, who has been trying for five years to learn the identity of the man.

BIBLICAL MONEY-LENDERS
Professional money-lending dates from Biblical times. Laws were enacted to protect both borrower and lender by governing lending methods, securities and costs of loans.

TIGER LINKSMAN NOSES MICHIGAN GOLF STAR, 1 UP

Bob Palmer Grabs Early Lead
Only To See Louisianian
Edge Him Out

ATHENS, Ga., April 13.—(P)—Bert McDowell, sharpshooting Louisiana State veteran, quit the runner-up ranks today and won his first major golf triumph—the Southern Intercollegiate championship.

Nine times a second-placer, the 21-year-old Kansas City, Mo., senior fought an uphill battle to turn back Bob Palmer, slender Michigan captain, 1-up in the 18-hole final of the sixth annual Southern tournament. In winning the crown he joined two other former Louisiana links stars, Paul Leslie and Freddie Haas, as champions of the contest started in 1935.

Approximately 500 persons trudged over the Athens Country club course.

Palmer grabbed an early lead on the third hole when McDowell drove into a trap and went one over par.

McDowell evened the match on the short fifth when he got down in a one-over par while Palmer missed a two-foot putt which would have tied the hole. On the ninth, however, McDowell went wild, belting his first drive into the lake and his second into the woods.

The Michigan captain took a conceded par four to go 1 up at the turn.

The 10th was split with birdie fours, the 11th with pars, and the 12th with bogey fours. Then McDowell knotted the match again on the 13th with a one-over five when Palmer boasted his approach into the creek and dropped far short on his recovery. He took a seven for the hole.

On the 16th, McDowell took a one-over par six while the Michigan captain visited two traps and slapped one into a bunker to take a nine. The 17th and 18th were halved at par.

Earlier in the day Palmer bested Carey Middlehoff of Mississippi, and McDowell whipped his team-mate, Earl Stewart, 6 and 5, in the semi-finals.

The cards:

Palmer 444 535 434-36
McDowell 445 445 439-42
Palmer 444 455 434-37
Palmer 543 444 535-37-36-73
McDowell 444 545 635-40-42-82
Palmer 444 745 635-45-37-82

McDowell's record as a runner-up included the Southern Intercollegiate, the National Intercollegiate, and the Southern conference, all in 1938; the Western Junior in 1937 and 1938, and second place in the Kansas City medal tourney in 1938.

OTHER RESULTS

ATHENS, Ga., April 13.—(P)—Results of the final round in lower flights of the sixth annual southern intercollegiate tournament:

Championship consolation—Morey, L. S. U., beat Swift, Georgia, 2 up.

Second flight consolation—Emery, Michigan, defeated Mills, Georgia, 1 up.

Second flight—Herring, North Carolina, won over Gottsman, Duke, 3-2.

Third flight, Cooper, Davidson, lost to Sams, Sewanee, 2 up.

Fourth flight, Barnes, The Citadel, defeated Lichtenwalter, Florida, 2 up.

Fifth flight, Zarembo, Mississippi, beat Parrot, Vanderbilt, 5-4.

Sixth flight, Leidy, Michigan, defeated Cromer, Georgia Tech, 5-3.

Bert McDowell Of L. S. U. Wins Intercollegiate Golf

PERRIN CROWNED CHAMP



WAVE TRACKMEN DEFEAT OLE MISS

White And Hays Lead Tu-lane Thinclads To Easy
77-To-48 Triumph

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—(P)—Led by Millard White and Harry Hays who scored 15 points each, Tulane's track team outdistanced and outtossed the University of Mississippi 77 to 48 in a dual meet at Tulane stadium today.

The Rebels won only three first places—the pole vault, two miles and 400.

Times were fair considering the weather was chilly and the season is young.

Ole Miss had been training only a week, and the Greenies haven't had time to develop their best form yet. But there was some spirited competition in several events.

White had little trouble winning the shot, discus and javelin. In the former two events it was one-two-three for Tulane, as Pete Golomb and Roman Bentz also placed behind the big football linemen. White hurled the shot 48 feet 8 inches, the discus 132 feet 6 inches and the javelin 176 feet 6 inches.

Hays ran a brisk century in 10.1 seconds, and copped the "210"—the distance being necessitated by campus construction which shortened the course ten yards—in 21.7. He came back to score in the low hurdles in 25 seconds.

"Bubber" Cunningham ran a nice quarter for the visitors, being clocked in 31.1, and tried to take the half also but lacked the spurt at the finish and was second to Charles Vosburgh, whom he beat in the 400.

Crossett boasts one of the strongest teams in the Ouachita Valley league. The league comprises Springhill, Crossett, Hodge, Ruston and Camden. Magnolia and the Monroe Browns are doubtful members yet.

Spike Hunter will manage the players, and P. G. Gates, Sr. will be business manager for Crossett this year.

The Crossett club is being directed by a governing board. Members are E. S. French, president; A. T. McDonough, A. C. Erwin and J. T. Erwin.

American league rosters today include the names of 50 players who toiled in the minors in 1939. Many of them will be hailed as major league stars within two or three years, while some are expected to distinguish themselves in 1940. At least that is the expectation of the managers of the teams of which they are members.

Newcomers who will, no doubt, make rapid steps toward stardom on American league clubs, in addition to Boudreau, who joined Cleveland late in the 1939 season, include Shortstop Jim Pofahl and Pitcher Sid Hudson of Washington; Outfielder Walter Judnich and Bob Swift of St. Louis; Catcher Tom Turner, Infielder Bob Kennedy and Pitcher Vallee Eaves of Chicago; Outfielder Dom DiMaggio and Pitcher Maurice Harris of Boston; Pitcher Marvin Breuer of New York and Catcher Ed Parsons, Detroit.

Much interest will be shown this year in the moves made by Detroit in shifting Henry Greenberg from first base to the outfield. Fans also will watch the result of the transfer of Buddy Lewis of Washington from third base to the outfield. Greenberg, during the training period, has demonstrated he can handle efficiently his new assignment, enabling the Tigers to take advantage of the hitting of Rudy York by placing him on first base.

With the schedule of seven night games in each of four American league cities, giving many fans who could not attend day games an opportunity to witness baseball under lights, and the possibility of stardom for so many new players, I believe the American league can look forward with much optimism to another banner year.

CROSSETT CLUB TO MEET HOUSE OF DAVID MONDAY

CROSSETT, Ark., April 13.—(P)—An exhibition game between Crossett and the House of David nine will open the Millers' season at Crossett Monday night, April 15.

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Summaries:

Mile run—Won by Lockett, Tulane; Simpson, Ole Miss, second (only finishers). Time 4 minutes, 55.3 seconds.

440-yard run—Won by Cunningham, Ole Miss; Vosburgh, Tulane, second.

High jump—Won by Maunsell, Tulane; Robertson, Ole Miss, and Hart, Tulane, tied for second. Height, five feet 7 inches.

Broad jump—Won by McGee, Tulane, 22 feet 1 1/2 inches; Bowman, Ole Miss, 21 feet 6 1/2 inches; Anderson, Tulane 21 feet 2 inches.

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Honey Cloud traveled the distance in 14.8 to reward his supports with \$2.90 for each \$2 ticket.

ITALIAN BIRTH RATE DROPS

Despite Mussolini's many edicts, Italy's birth rate declined from 29.1 in the 1921-28 period to 22.7 in 1937, with 110 of every 1,000 babies dying in the first year of life.

RUPPENHALL AND CURTIS TO MEET

Kallio Promises Plenty Of
Good Wrestling In
Weekly Program

Promoter Gus Kallio promises wrestling fans of Monroe a real treat next Tuesday night at the local wrestling arena at 310 Walnut street when Duke Ruppenthal, of Milwaukee, Wis., meets Jack Curtis of Vickaburg, Miss., in the main event.

In the semi-final event Sailor Watkinson, of Amarillo, Tex., will meet Allen Parker of Nashville, Tenn., in a two out of three fall, 45 minute time limit.

Curtis is well known and is a favorite to Monroe wrestling audiences. Ruppenthal has appeared in Monroe only once previously and is considered a very capable performer. Promoter Kallio said he was extremely fortunate in being able to book these two wrestlers and is sure that the fans will witness a real wrestling match. Both performers are regarded as clean, scientific wrestlers.

The main event between Curtis and Ruppenthal is a two out of three falls, with a 90 minute time limit.

ALL
HAND TAILEDOR

Every man should have at least one custom tailored suit—made from material selected by himself and styled to his favorite pattern.

MONROE DEFEATS GREENVILLE, 12-6

(Continued from Eighth Page)

of nice catches in center field and Larry Fisher showed the fans some pretty nifty third-basing by making a pair of wonderful stops and throws to half runners at first.

The Buckshots, while not looking impressive yesterday, showed promise of being a well-balanced outfit and no doubt will give a good account of themselves when the season opens.

The box score:

AB R H PO A E

Greenville	2b	3	1	4	1	1
J. Reece	2b	2	2	2	1	0
A. Reece	2b	2	2	2	1	0
Bueschen	rf	5	0	1	2	0
Seal	3b	3	0	1	1	1
Maxwell	3b	1	0	0	0	0
Kramer	1b	5	0	0	7	3
Head	ss	4	0	0	2	1
Salveson	ss	1	0	0	0	1
Newell	lf	2	1	1	3	0
Hill	cf	4	1	1	4	0
Didier	c	3	0	1	1	0
Martin	c	1	0	0	0	0
Green	p	2	0	1	1	0
Clinger	p	1	1	0	0	1
Smith	p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		37	6	20	24	9
*Batted for J. Reece in seventh.						
Totals						
Monroe	AB R H PO A E	6	0	1	2	6
Eagar	ss	6	1	4	1	0
Burt	cf	6	1	2	2	0
Englehorn	If	6	1	2	2	0
Medak	1b	3	0	1	7	1
Taitt	rf	5	2	1	2	0
Hackney	2b	3	3	2	5	1
Fisher	3b	3	1	1	2	0
Riha	3b	1	0	0	0	1
Schang	c	5	3	3	3	0
Brister	p	1	0	1	1	0
Speer	p	2	0	2	0	0
Rossbach	p	0	0	0	0	0
Labue	2b	1	0	0	0	0
Totals		42	12	17	27	12
*Batted for Speer in eighth.						

Score by innings:

Greenwood 000 120 201—6

Monroe 020 140 32x—12

Summary: Runs batted in, Schang 5, Brister, Buescher, Didier, Hackney, Speer 3, Burt, A. Reece 2. Two-base hits, Seal, Englehorn 2, Hackney 2, Schang. Home runs, A. Reece, Stolen bases, Schang. Double plays, Eagar to Hackney to Medak, Eagar to Hackney. Left on bases, Greenville 7, Monroe 8. Innings pitched, by Brister 4 with 3 runs 5 hits; by Speer 4 with 3 runs 6 hits; by Rossbach 1 with no runs 1 hit; by Green 5 with 7 runs 12 hits; by Clinger 2 with 3 runs 2 hits; by Smith 1 with 2 runs 2 hits. Winning pitcher, Brister. Losing pitcher, Green. Balk, Brister. Base on balls, Green 2, off Clinger 2, off Smith 2, off Brister 1. Struck out, by Speer 1, by Clinger 1, by Smith 1. Time 2:10. Umpires, Bowe and Hinton.

SCORERS NAMED

GREENVILLE, Miss., April 13.—(P)—President Emmet Hart of the Cotton States league today announced official scorers for the 1940 season in the eight cities of the circuit.

They will be:

Clarkdale, Charles M. Hills, Daily Register.

El Dorado, Bob Hays, El Dorado News-Times.

Greenville, Charles S. Kerg, Delta Democrat-Times.

Greenwood, Bob Upshur, Greenwood Commonwealth.

Helena, Jack Young, Helena World, Hot Springs, Roy Bosson, Hot Springs New Era.

Pine Bluff, Harry Young of Pine Bluff Commercial, first 35 games, and Henry Reynolds, Pine Bluff Graphic, final 35 games.

No scorer for Monroe was named.

PLAYERS HAD TO BE GOOD IN THIS LEAGUE

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Lake Providence

Mrs. D. E. Peck has returned home from Los Angeles, Calif., and other points in the west, where she spent the past 10 months, visiting Glendale and points in Texas during her stay. Mrs. Peck was accompanied home by her grandson, Earl Jacquet, who will visit here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mitchell and three daughters, Donna Mae, Pansy Marie and Peggy, visited in Terry, Miss., with Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lewis.

J. N. Hill, Jr., has returned after vacationing at the Riviera hotel, Daytona Beach, Fla.

Miss Genevieve Gross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross, was recently initiated into Delta Omega chapter of Delta Delta Delta social sorority at Louisiana State University. This chapter was founded at Boston university in 1888, and at L. S. U. in 1934.

Last Sunday this chapter broadcast over station WJBO as part of the regular service sponsored each week by the school of music, the first time any chapter had been invited to participate on this occasion.

Mrs. L. H. Richards arrived home this week from Washington, D. C., where she spent the past month visiting Mr. Richards, who is engaged in business in the capital city.

Miss Marie Louise Gross, faculty member of the Reserve High school, joined Miss Genevieve Gross in Baton Rouge for the trip home to spend Easter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gross.

Miss Toni Voelker with her brothers, Robert, Edward and C. A. Voelker, and guests, Joan Richards and Mrs. C. B. Mitchell, visited in Monroe.

Mrs. H. J. DeWeese of New Orleans is here for a visit with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Rogers spent Easter in Memphis, Tenn., with the latter's mother, Mrs. Vera Coates. Mr. Rogers has returned to Lake Providence, leaving Mrs. Rogers for a longer visit with her mother.

Delta chapter of Sigma Sigma sorority met in special session at the home of the chapter sponsor, Mrs. John William Nelson.

Plans were completed for the dinner dance at the Vicksburg hotel, Vicksburg, Miss.

Members of the local chapter attending the meeting in the home of Mrs. J. W. Nelson were Miss Vera Frost, Mrs. N. H. Sawyer, Jr., Miss Hilda Nelson, Mrs. Woodrow Scott, Miss Louise Reed, Mrs. Baxter Deal, Miss Helen Nelson, and Mrs. Alvin Rogers, to whom the hostess served delicious refreshments.

Mrs. A. P. Surles, with her daughters-in-law, Mrs. James Surles and Mrs. Albert Surles, joined by Mrs. Jack Pollard of Oak Grove, motored to Monroe.

Susanne Wilson of Lake Village, Ark., was an Easter visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Davis, the guest of their young daughter, Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Roberts and daughter, June Kay, of Amarillo, Tex., Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Candler and Mr. and Mrs. Smith and son of Dumas, Ark., have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McKinzie, after a visit in the home of their brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Shanks, were accompanied to their home in Memphis by Mrs. Shanks, who was their guest.

Mrs. Ford Land and daughters of Baton Rouge were here to visit Mrs. Land's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Regenold.

Choudrant

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ambrose are the proud parents of a 10-pound boy who arrived April 11.

Miss Eloise Jenkins, a junior in the Choudrant High school, entertained a number of friends in her home Tuesday evening. Games and dancing was the version of the evening. Those present were Margie Coffey, Dorothy Edwards, Sunshine Kidd, Hilda Kemp, Helen Green, Bonnie Henry, Myrtis Chandler, Varie Aulds, Louise Smith, Ernestine Simpson, Edna Crocker, Ruby Edwards, Maudie Mae Parnell, Marie Kemp, Mary Chandler, Millie B. Aulds, Evelyn Crocker, Francis Barrett, Joyce Allen, James Parnell, Roy Grimshaw, Joe Land, Roy Holstead, George Easterling, Monroe Ford, Joe Williams, J. W. Babineau, Clinton Parnell, Wempy Kemp, Pete Aulds, J. B. Crocker, L. Bennett, James Parcell, Billy Babers, Jimmy Taylor, James L. Land, W. Griffin, O. C. Bryan, L. E. Douthit, J. B. Smith, Charles Brewster, J. P. Littleton, Heverna Green, Freida May Faulkner, Freddie Pidgeon, Kemp, Evelyn Taylor.

The quarterly meeting of the Concord association, W. M. S. met with the Choudrant Baptist church Friday, April 12. The following program was rendered to 169 persons:

1. Hymn.
2. Minutes and roll call.
3. Talk, Miss Hanah Reynolds, New Orleans.
4. Special music, Marie Kemp, Gloria Kirk.
5. Address, Mrs. H. G. Wilkinson of Shreveport.
6. Adjourn for lunch.

The afternoon program consisted of talks by the various associational officers and a playlet by the Temple Baptist church of Ruston.

The Rainbow Sewing Circle met in the home of Miss Kathleen Edwards April 6, 1940. The following officers were elected: Kathleen Edwards, president; Wilma Griffith, vice-president; Louise Smith, secretary; Ora Lee Smith, treasurer, and Evelyn Cracker, reporter. The following motto was selected, "Always do your best and the better will come to you." After the meeting adjourned a social hour was held.

GRADUATION GAG

LAWRENCE, Kans. (AP)—It's the custom of college presidents to shake the hand of seniors when they hand them their university degrees. A Kansas State senior has wagered \$25 he will wear a false hand and leave it dangling in the hand of the president when he walks across the stage, come June commencement time.

MONROE (LA.) MORNING WORLD

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Telephone ads are strictly "memorandum accounts" and are read only by the news editor. This table gives rates of any set solid advertisement containing 19 to 30 words.

News-Star—World

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NUMBER OF WORDS	1/2 Line	1 Line	Two Lines	Three Lines	Four Lines
Up to 10	\$.45	\$.54	\$.72	\$.88	\$.98
11 to 15	\$.45	\$.81	\$.98	\$ 1.47	\$ 1.65
16 to 20	\$.45	\$.88	\$ 1.04	\$ 1.20	\$ 1.38
21 to 25	\$.45	\$.95	\$ 1.12	\$ 1.28	\$ 1.45
26 to 30	\$.60	\$ 1.62	\$ 1.18	\$ 2.44	

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Minimum Space 10 Agate Lines
Special Notices Cards of Thanks, In
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tisements immediate notice must be given.
The news editor is responsible for only one incorrect insertion.
CANCELLATIONS—Ads cancelled not later
than 5 P. M. following morning edition
and 10 A. M. for evening edition.

Legal Notices

MONROE, Louisiana,
March 14, 1940.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a general annual meeting of the stockholders of The People's Homestead & Savings Association will be held at the office and dam-
icile of the Association, No. 404 DeSard Street, in Monroe, Louisiana, at five o'clock P. M., on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1940.

At this meeting there will be seven direc-
tors and the transaction of such other busi-
ness as may be properly brought before
the meeting.

THE PEOPLE'S HOMESTEAD & SAVINGS
ASSOCIATION
By A. O. DAVIS, Secretary.

Monroe, La.
April 1, 1940.

RADIO PROGRAM

STATIONS THAT MAKE UP
THE NETWORKS

(Notes: Refer to this box for stations
indicated after each program item. All programs are
carried by stations in the network or
groups thereof unless specified.)

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Announcements

Lost & Found (2)

LOST—Wednesday night, well worn brief
case. Liberal reward. Return News-
Star—World Classified Department.

Personals (3)

MEXICAN LEGAL MATTERS, Wm. Cooke,
American attorney, 1738, El Paso, Tex.

HEADACHES AND NERVOUSNESS re-
lieved by spinal massage. Earl B. Simons,
scientific massager, 223 Bernhardt
Bldg., Phone 1401.

REALSIL HOSIERY—Mrs. W. B. Mat-
thews, branch supervisor. Phone 5249-W.

Special Notices (4)

C. P. A. EXAMINATION

EXAMINATION OF candidates for cer-
tified public accountant certificates, will
be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, on May
16th and 17th, 1940. Applications must
be filed with the State of the Verges, Secretary,
State Board of Certified Public Accountants,
of Louisiana, 720 Whitney Bldg., New
Orleans, Louisiana, before May 1st, 1940.

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KEYS—Opened and repaired. Tens
tacks, rackets, strings. Phone 121. C. C.
Lindley, 126 Jackson.

Mattress Renovating (10)

MATTRESSES renovated \$1.50. Furniture
upholstered. West Monroe Mattress Co.
Phone 1148.

Furn. Rpr. (17)

Upholstering, Refinishing, Slip Covers
Koch's 2003 Lee Phone 4703

Employment

Help Wanted—Male (19)

AMBITION, RELIABLE man or woman
with a good income to assume responsi-
bilities with famous Watkins products in Mon-
roe. Write J. R. Watkins Co., 70-74 W.
Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

EXPERIENCED COMBINATION machin-
ist and electric welder. A. G. Frost, Lake
Prov. 1401.

CONSULT these ads every
day for late buying and selling
information.

Agents & Salesmen (20)

BIG DAILY PROFITS—extra cash bon-
uses. Represent large manufacturer. Show
tailored shirts, ties, socks, under-
wear direct to wearer. Experience un-
necessary interview. Call 491-0011.

PERSONAL ADVERTISING—
Ladies—Wives—Mothers—
Children—Friends—Business
men—Professionals—
etc.—Write to: Mrs. J. R. Watkins Co.,
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HAVE GOOD PROPOSITION for young
man who is able to furnish car. In
answering give past experience and reference.
Write Box 184-A, News-
Star—World.

Male & Female Help (22)

EXCEPTIONAL SALES opportunity for
two men and two women on most out-
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Give experience and references in applica-
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Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

WALTER WINTHROP'S COLUMN—nbc-wxj

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One
Hour for CST, 2 Hrs. for MT.

(Changes in programs as listed due to
last minute network corrections)

THE PILGRIMAGE OF Poetry—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—James Somers—nbc-wxj

THE SINGING HORSE—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Theater—Orchestra—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Foreign Policy—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—News of Europe—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—The Catholic Service—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Tapestry Musical—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Concert—nbc-wxj

MONDAY, APRIL 15—Bandwagon—nbc-wxj

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MAY 4 NAMED AS POPPY DAY HERE

American Legion Auxiliary To Conduct Memorial Sale In Monroe

Poppy day will be observed in Monroe and throughout the nation on Saturday, May 4. Mrs. Ted Mahr, president of L. B. Faulk No. 3 of the American Legion auxiliary, announced Saturday. On that day all Americans will be asked to wear memorial poppies in tribute to the World War dead and to aid the living victims of the war.

The little red memorial flowers will be distributed here by women and girls of the L. B. Faulk unit, under the direction of Miss Sise Faulk, chairman of the Poppy day committee. All contributions received for the poppies will go to legion and auxiliary welfare work for the disabled veterans, their families and the families of the dead.

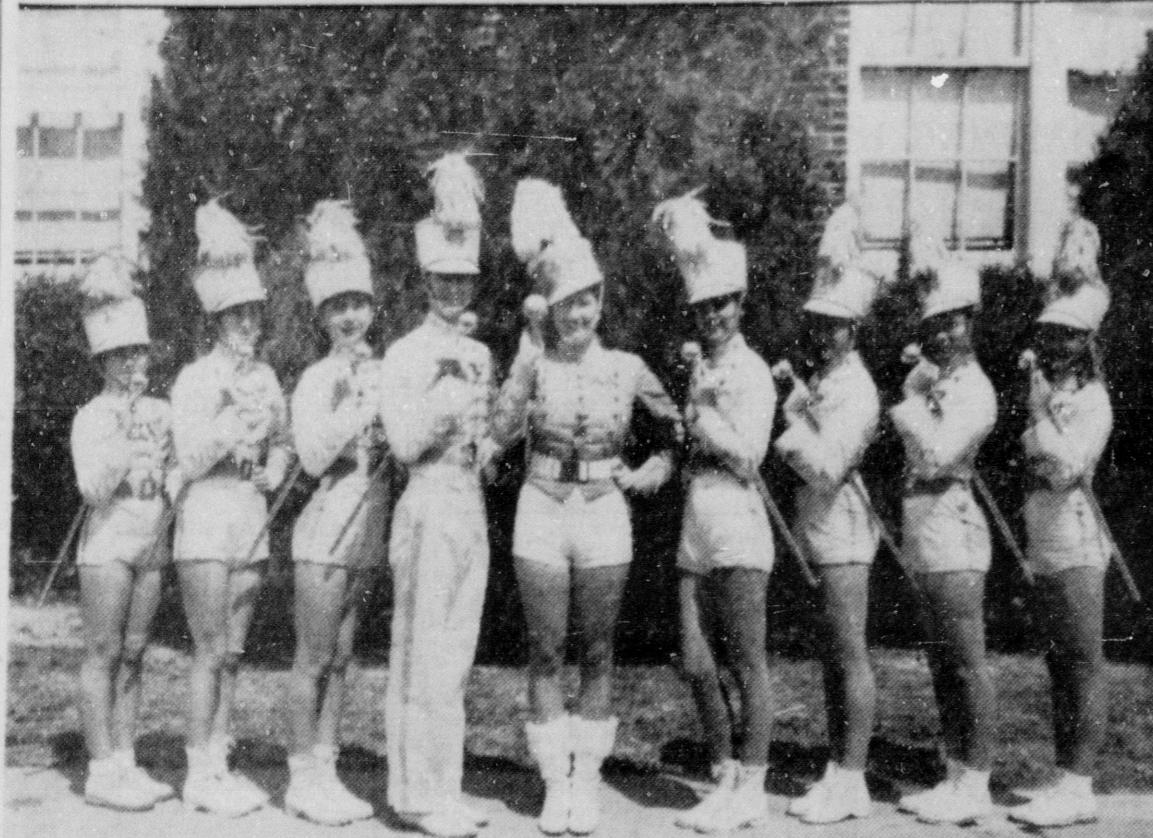
"We feel that Poppy day will have increased meaning to America this year," said Mrs. Mahr, "because renewed warfare in Europe has renewed the memory of those boys of ours who gave their lives 'over there' 22 years ago. It is for them that we put on the poppy each year, to show that we still remember and honor their sacrifices. It is the flower which grew where they fell and which now blooms on the coats of Americans who appreciate their service."

"Events of the past year have shown us clearly that to be secure the United States must have men ready and able to defend the country, willing to give their lives in its defense, if necessary. We can be thankful today that we had such men 22 years ago. From them we can draw inspiration for the patriotic service necessary to maintain our freedom and democracy against today's dangers. Weaving their flower over our hearts means that within our hearts their love of America still lives."

CRITICALLY WOUNDED
McCOMB, Miss., April 13.—(AP)—Malcolm Allred, 15-month-old son of John Henry Allred, farmer of the Auburn community, was critically wounded today when a shotgun he pulled from the family porch fired. The charge tore away his left arm.

"My Skin Was Full of Pimples and Blemishes"
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FERRIDAY DRUM MAJORS IN STATE CONTEST



This attractive group of drum majors will represent Ferriday High school in the state contest at Alexandria on April 19 and 20. They are, left to right: Mary Ann Wilgus, Betty Torres, Emma Lee Archer, John Robert Arthur, Frances Fredric, Carolyn Fleming, Marjorie Elaine Cobb and Mary Pickler. W. A. Gill, Jr., professor of music, is director of the band.

Finland Pushes Gigantic Task Of Reconstruction

Army Is Kept Mobilized And Exodus To Other Countries Barred

By Max Harrelson

HELSINKI—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Imagine, if you can, some great catastrophe in which 600,000 of the best men in the United States were killed and another 2,000,000 wounded. Try to picture 20,000,000 suddenly made homeless, 400,000 widows, about 1,000,000 orphans. Suppose five of the richest agricultural and industrial states had to be given up and imagine property damage of \$1,600,000,000 in the remaining states. These figures appear fantastic, but they are an index of what happened in this little country of 3,500,000 during the three and one-half months of war with Soviet Russia. They are Fin-

land's losses multiplied by 40 to put them in ratio to the United States population.

In proportion to population Finland lost eight times as many men in the brief war with Russia as the United States lost during the entire World War. It is impossible to imagine the United States on the intense war footing in effect here during the war.

Ten per cent of the entire population was under arms and almost as many more were in auxiliary services such as civil defense. The cost of maintaining such a military organization was astronomical, to say nothing of the losses entailed by industrial paralysis.

Some idea of the cost of the war can be obtained from an official summary given to the Hoover relief committee by the government. The report said:

"Five hundred and twenty-five thousand are homeless because of the territory ceded—about 10 per cent of Finland. The evacuees saved an insignificant part of their possessions. Sixty-four thousand bombs were dropped; 122 brick houses destroyed, 364 damaged; 1,460 wooden houses destroyed, 2,619 damaged; four churches burned down and five damaged."

It is estimated that 50,000 lost their homes because of bombardments and the loss is placed at two billion marks (about \$40,000,000). Fifteen thousand men of the highest working efficiency were killed and left an estimated 8,000 to 10,000 widows and 20,000 to 30,000 orphans."

The bare statement that Finland lost 10 per cent of her territory does not tell the full story, for the Karelian isthmus not only has rich agricultural regions and excellent forests but contains some of the most highly industrialized areas in the country. There are about 40,000 farms in the ceded area and about 10,000 houses in the Viipuri region alone. The latter are assessed at 2,000,000,000 Finnish marks (about \$40,000,000).

One great blow to Finnish economy will be the loss of the lower part of the internal water transportation system. The Russians now possess the lower section of the Salma canal and the great export harbor of

Viipuri, which was the second to Kotka in the export of cellulose. Another great loss was the beauty spots on the isthmus and northeast of Lake Ladoga which formerly attracted thousands of tourists.

So much for the cost of the war. What about the future of Finland and what are the problems she faces?

Finland is far from a beaten nation.

No conquered state would dare to criticize her conqueror as Finnish leaders have criticized Russia, nor to declare openly the intention to strengthen her defenses against possible threats of the future.

The whole attitude both of the people and the government is one of confidence and determination.

In these words are stated briefly Finland's two great problems:

1. Reconstruction of her devastated areas and the care for the thousands of homeless.

2. Building strong defenses against future attack.

Both these problems are so large and require such enormous expenditures of money and man-power that Finland can hope for no relaxation in the heavy sacrifices which the nation has been making since the start of the war.

Indications are that there will be no immediate demobilization of the army, although many soldiers will be used in reconstruction work. Foreign volunteers are being kept in Finland for military and civil work. Aid also continues to arrive from abroad, especially from relief organizations such as the Hoover committee.

Reconstruction plans are still in the preliminary stage. The first task was the emergency job of evacuating the areas ceded to Russia and finding temporary shelters—as well as food and clothing—for the refugees.

The question of permanent homes and means of livelihood for these thousands is one that will take time. Many communities, however, have contributed land and advanced other plans to help solve the problem.

Industrial centers like Helsinki are expected to absorb many of the people from cities in the ceded areas. A plan already has been put forward for the development of Degerö, a section of Helsinki along the coast. The plan call for improvement of the harbor and extension of the railroad to Degerö. Efforts also are being made to arrange for low priced land plots to encourage building of residences and new industries.

Such plans as the one suggested by

JUDGE CRABITES TO TALK MONDAY

Third And Final Lecture To Be Given By International Authority

Judge Pierre Crabites of the Louisiana State university law school is scheduled to make a third and final talk in a series on international affairs Monday, April 15, at the Georgia Tucker school at 8 p.m.

The Y's Men's club brings Judge Crabites to this city, and generously makes him available to the community forum on public affairs, sponsored by the public affairs committee of the Altrusa club, the American Association of University Women, the Business and Professional Women's club and the Y. W. C. A. There is no charge for Judge Crabites' talk; all men and women of the community are urged to attend.

Judge Crabites was for 25 years judge of the international court at Cairo, Egypt; he has traveled extensively in Europe, and as recently as one year ago; he is thoroughly familiar with the matters upon which he speaks so interestingly.

Chairmen of the committees above mentioned will be glad to answer any inquiry concerning the lecture; they are: Miss Bernice McCoy, Miss Myrtle Rodgers, Mrs. Johnnie Smith Elbert, Miss Eleona Brinsmade, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale and Miss Sue Heley.

Any clubs with public affairs committees wishing to cooperate in presenting this series of forums are invited to participate, and are asked in that case, to get in touch with a representative of one of the clubs already cooperating.

NEW ORLEANS MEN ARE SENTENCED AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Tex., April 13.—(AP)—Two New Orleans men were under sentence today in a narcotics smuggling case, and the government was ready to proceed against others in a ramifications of it.

Anthony and Joe Mussacchia were sentenced here yesterday on a charge of smuggling a narcotic weed across the Mexican border at Laredo. Anthony was given three years in prison and Joe 13 months, which was suspended for five years.

United States District Attorney Douglass McGregor said another case would be called for trial at Laredo Monday.

Plans to get behind Unemployment week will be discussed. Government agencies with the American Legion will observe this occasion for men over 40 the week of May 1 to 8. There will be plenty of publicity on this subject and Commander Apperson urges all legionnaires to give a lot of thought to the unemployment problem of over 40.

Food and refreshments will be served at the meeting.

ONE YEAR OLD



Little Jimmy Allen Hegwood, above, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hegwood, celebrated his first birthday on April 6.

LEGION TO MEET HERE TOMORROW

Nominating Committee To Report On Names For Officers For 1940-41

Ed C. Apperson, commander of the L. B. Faulk Post No. 13 of the American Legion, yesterday announced the regular meeting for Monday at 8 p.m. at the legion home in Forsythe park.

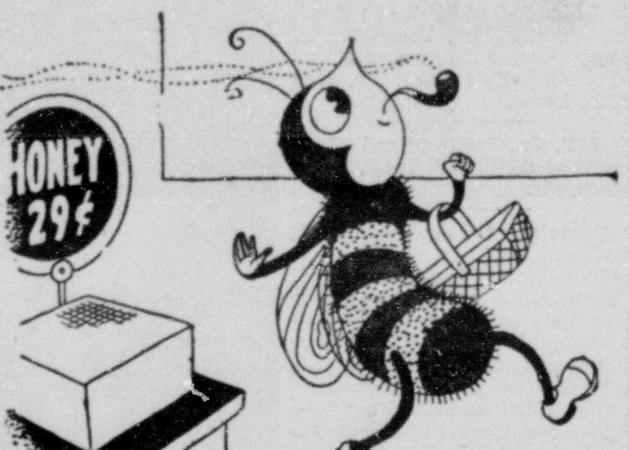
The nominating committee composed of Sam Rubin, Phil Gayle, Joe Nelson, Fred Pettit and Ernest Holloway will make its report. Election of officers will be held at the first meeting in May.

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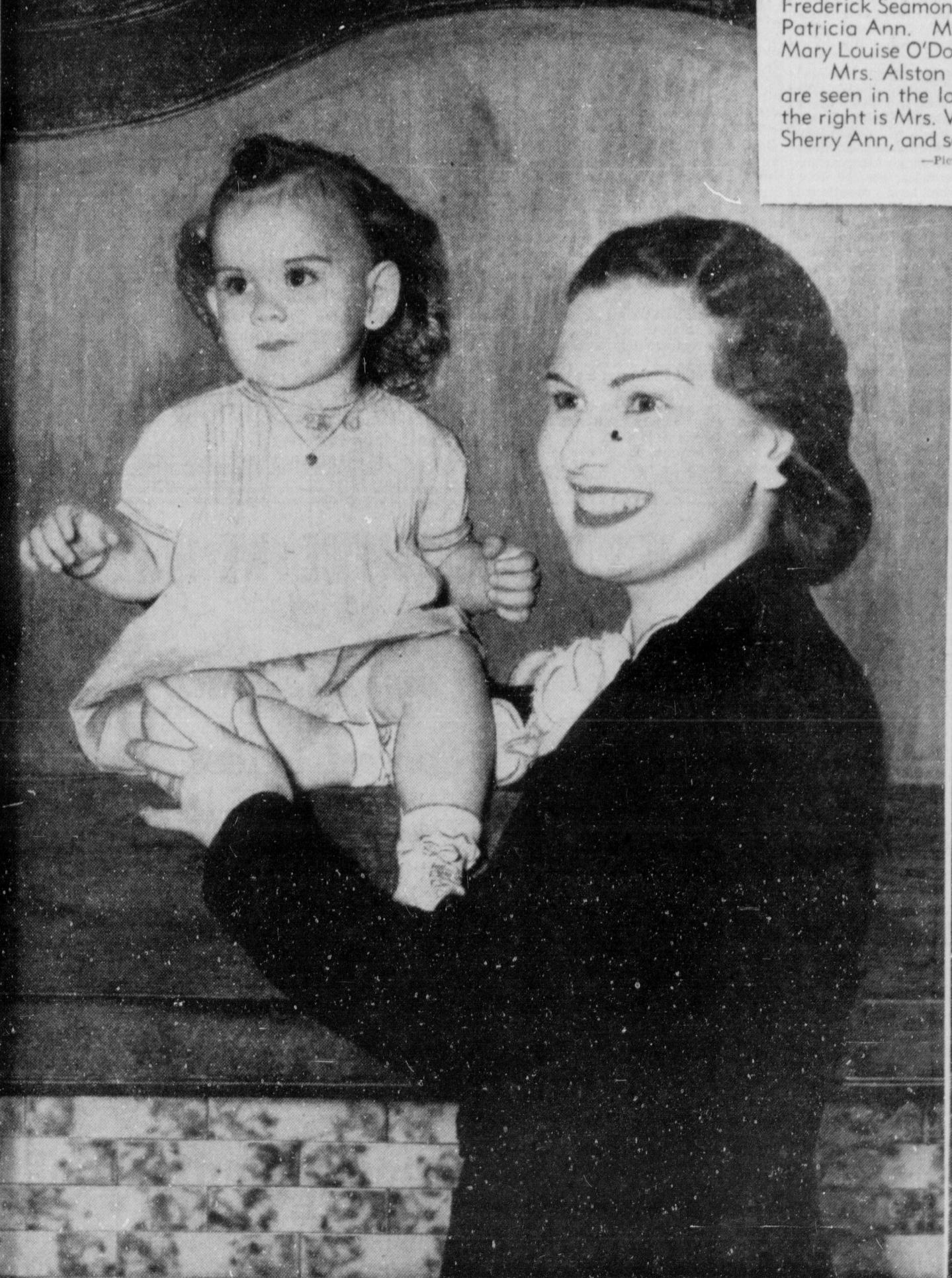
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In the pictures today are a group of lovely young mothers and their children. To the left at the top of the page is Mrs. Clay Albright and daughter, Nancy Ann. To the upper right is Mrs. Frederick Seamon of New Orleans and daughter, Patricia Ann. Mrs. Seamon was formerly Miss Mary Louise O'Donnell of this city.

Mrs. Alston Prophit and daughter, Penny, are seen in the lower left hand picture, and to the right is Mrs. William Conley with daughter, Sherry Ann, and son, Bill, Jr.

—Pictures by News-Star—World Staff Photographer.



Monroe Society Looks Forward To Many Alluring Pleasures Of Summer Camps

Vacations Also Bring Anticipatory Thrill

Fudickars Invite Gay Party To Lake St. John; New Homes Being Planned By Several Families

By Eve Bradford

OUR DAYS are once more embroidered in sapphire blue and gold. No price is set on the lavish splendor of our April days so it can be enjoyed to the fullest by the poorest comer. It is easy now for the heart to be glad with summer in the offing and long, lazy days stretching out alluringly. Happiest of all are those who have summer camps on lakes and bayous where they can escape the summer dol-drums and lazily while away each week-end. Happy, too, are those who have house boats with upper decks inviting one to sit under the stars in the cool evening.

For those who have neither summer-lodge or house boat there is always the prospect of a summer vacation to furnish an anticipatory thrill.

Speaking of summer lodges brings to mind the house-warming the Fred Fudickars had last week-end at their place on Lake St. John. And by the way they have purchased a station wagon so that supplies can be conveniently carried from town.

It was a gay company the Fudickars gathered together for this particular occasion. One of the guests, Doll Hudson, home from Wellesley College for a visit with her parents, enjoyed the novelty of such an outing after a hectic visit in New York City as the guest of Henry and Bessie Biedenharn at the Biltmore hotel. It was just one continual round of pleasure with Henry Biedenharn, Jr., student at the university of Virginia, completing the happy foursome. Theaters, glamorous night clubs and all the smart restaurants and clubs were visited with the shops holding special attraction for Bessie, who is considered one of the best dressed women in Monroe. Doll boarded a plane for home after a week of festivity. Her marriage to Henry Biedenharn, Jr., will take place late in August and is already engaging the attention of society.

Ralph Waldo Emerson wisely said, "A man builds a house and now he has a master and a task for life; he is to furnish, watch it and keep it in repair for the rest of his days."

The momentous observation doesn't seem to scare out any of our conferees! Edwin and Katherine Theuses are watching the last nails being driven into their new home on Island Drive. It is going to be a beautiful home facing the sleepy bayou with spacious rooms including a nursery for their two lovely children.

Just around the corner, the E. L. Marchmans and their adorable little blonde son are now established in the new home they purchased from the Ivy Jordons.

The Louis Masiars have taken up residence in their handsome new home with its beautiful iron grill work. It is one of the most spacious and one of the most beautiful homes in the city. Part of the pleasure of getting settled in the new surroundings was marred by an emergency appendectomy Louis was forced to undergo last week. All is well that ends well however and all members of the family are now looking forward to happy days in the new home.

The M. C. McDonalds have acquired acres of ground in West Monroe where they will build one of the handsomest homes in this section. The place already has a homelike atmosphere with trees and shrubbery gracing the landscape.

The home the Tom Munhollands have just purchased from the Henry Stevens isn't new in point of years but it will be new to them with improvements made to suit their individual tastes.

Flash—it's a son for Travis and Kitty Oliver at the Clinic. He'll be called Travis the third.

It's a daughter for Peggy and James Harris at the Clinic. They can't decide on a name.

Skittering here, there and yonder on spring motor trips are several fortunate ones who find it so enviable to pull up stakes and set out. Joe Biedenharn and daughter Emma Louise set out for a little giro into a beautiful section of the country with the Rio Grande valley their main objective. They paused in San Antonio long enough to attend the wedding of Mr. Biedenharn's neice and for Emma Louise to lend her beautiful voice to the ceremony. After visiting the Belligrath gardens, the Azalea trail and the Natchez garden pilgrimage, they returned home simply saturated in springtime beauty.

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Readers Clique Studies Psychology

The Readers Clique was entertained Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. G. L. Morgan.

After the business meeting, presided over by the president, Mrs. J. Leon Dennis, Mrs. Morgan gave an interesting paper consisting of excerpts from a course of bulletins on "Human Nature" by Julian Pennington.

Dr. Pennington is a famous psychologist. He explains his work as bringing things from your sub-conscious mind to your conscious mind so that you can overcome them.

Dr. Pennington divides people into three types: the vital, the motive and the mental. Some people are a combination of two types and some of all three.

The vital type has a round face and round head. It is usually short, heavy and oftentimes has the much-lamented "bay window."

The vital type is the most likable and friendly of all the types, is a natural politician and is happiest when handshaking, loves peace and is a past master at getting along with people. Doesn't worry much, likes to play and is a free spender. He is a natural businessman.

Vital women have much of the same traits as the men. Good business women, good organizers and managers, natural home-makers and good cooks.

The motive type has square features, all lines are angular. He is bold and tough-fibered. Some are tall, some short with deep-set eyes and thin lips.

The motive type is not very graceful but is the most substantial and dependable type. Like plain clothes, cars, houses and furniture, lacks imagination, is practical and often blunt. Is hard is sell new ideas to is honest and conscientious.

The motive type is active and likes outdoor life, and has the strongest heart of all types. Is serious-minded and a creature of habit. Usually men of silent leadership and sound judgment.

There are few women of the motive type and these few wear mannish haircuts, shirts and men's ties and plain shoes. There is nothing about them that reminds you of "lavender and old lace."

The mental type has a triangular-shaped face, refined features, narrow feet and hands and is built for scholarship rather than heavy physical work. Likes music and reading and is artistic. Has great pride and is not a good mixer. Is retiring, sensitive and highly moral. Likes beautiful pictures on walls of home, and good books.

The mental type is not a good businessman, and is not a lover of money or power and is not very honest.

The mental men are often research men, writers, artists, teachers, lecturers, preachers and interior decorators.

Mental women would rather entertain you in the drawing room with a discussion of Shakespeare than delight at the table with a ham she has baked. She is gracious but retiring, and is not a very good business woman.

Children of the mental type are often old for their years, would rather read than romp. Often timid and misunderstood.

Dr. Pennington speaks of a man as a house of many rooms. Some rooms are large and airy, some are small and musty. You cannot judge a man by one trait alone.

After a general discussion, the hostess served delicious refreshments to the following members: Mrs. Clay Albright, Mrs. Cecil Blanchard, Mrs. Clyde Blanchard, Mrs. J. Leon Dennis, Mrs. Wesley Ekholt, Mrs. W. H. Hemier, Mrs. X. Holt, Mrs. J. L. Ivey, Mrs. Mike John, Jr., Mrs. Raymond John, Mrs. E. L. Marchman, Mrs. Clay Olson, Mrs. R. O. Ware, Mrs. J. L. Whitfield and Mrs. Merrill Williams.

Friends in this city have just received cards from Captain and Mrs. Forrest Edwin Collins, formerly of Monroe, announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Barbara Ellen Collins, to Lieutenant Roland Wallace Boughton, Jr., United States Army, Madron the twenty-seventh, Fort Amador, Canal Zone.

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Miss Evelyn Flannigan is spending a few weeks in Vicksburg.

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Beautiful Heirlooms To Be Exhibited By Grace Church Auxiliary On Tuesday

Public Is Invited To Attend Heirloom Tea

Private Collection Owned By Monroe Families To Be Shown At Tea At Home Of Mrs. Fagan Cox

Some ancestors just leave their descendants a name to bear. Others just leave a memoir or two. But some ancestors leave a wonderful heritage of things that their great grand-children can treasure and use, such as crystal, exquisite china, handsome silver, rare books, mahogany and rosewood furniture.

Monroe is fortunate in having a rich heritage of the past and quantities of the precious heirlooms which were so important a part of the former glory of the southland. There are many men and women who treasure the relics and furnishings of a vanished day and have kindly loaned them to members of Grace church auxiliary for their heirloom tea at the

home of Mrs. Fagan Cox, Tuesday afternoon.

The public is extended a cordial welcome invitation to be the guests of the auxiliary on this occasion and view these treasures at leisure. Such interesting heirlooms as the silver service in the Joseph Hanna family for one hundred years—more—several first editions and old family silver owned by Mrs. Alfred Hennen—an old Latin Bible printed in the 16th century—a baby dress hand-embroidered by French nuns in a convent in the year 1800—the original copy of "Dixie"—old silver snuff boxes. Mrs. J. L. Keenan's antique crystal will be on display; also a painting of Admiral Richard Byrd's great grandmother kindly loaned by Richard Troy of this city whose mother and Admiral Byrd's mother are first cousins.

The Bradford-Weir families of New Orleans will have several valuable heirlooms on display at this time.

Tea will be served during the receiving hours, 4 to 6, by a coterie of beautifully gowned matrons, members of Grace church auxiliary.

Mrs. Emile Kaliski, Jr., and daughter, Carol, of Houston, are guests of Mrs. Emile Kaliski, Sr., and Mrs. Simon Shlenker.

Opera Club Hears Talk On 'Siegfried'

"Siegfried," the third opera in the Wagnerian Cycle, was given by Mrs. E. J. Hinkle when Mrs. E. C. Gibson entertained members of the Opera club in her apartment at the Alvis hotel. Mrs. J. Norman Coon presided at this time.

Mrs. Hinkle gave a resume of the two preceding operas "Das Rheingold" and "Die Walkure" bringing with clarity the story that had so far made up the first half of the cycle. She linked in splendid sequence the story of Siegfried, son of the god Wotan and of the earth mother, Erda, whose lot it was to break the reign of the Gods and thus bring about their undisputed power into its twilight.

There is little of tragedy, much of lightness and joy of youth and love in the most beautiful of the Ring cycle, which tells of the young Siegfried, impetuous, brave, joyful and handsome, and Brunhilde, the god-like maid who finds she is but a woman after all.

Mrs. E. C. Gibson led in a round table discussion of the operas. Following the lesson, Mrs. Norman Coon appointed committees for an open program to be held in May. Much interest centers around this program as it will mark the close of one of the most interesting years in the club's history.

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'Community Planning For Youth' Theme Of Coming Parent-Teacher Convention

Association Meets On April 18 To 20

Most Interesting Program Arranged For Lake Charles Convention; Local Women Have Prominent Parts

"Community Planning for Youth" will be the theme of the annual convention of Louisiana Parent-Teacher associations meeting in Lake Charles, April 18, for a three-day session.

The program, a most comprehensive one, follows:

8:30 a.m.—Registration, continuing through the day at both Majestic and Charleston hotels, Lake Charles.

9:30 a.m.—Pre-convention board meeting, Majestic hotel.

First General Session, Thursday Afternoon, April 18, First Baptist Church

Mrs. Paul A. Blanchard, president, presiding.

1:30 p.m.—Formal opening of the convention. Music: "America, the Beautiful." Invocation: Rev. Chester Crow, pastor First Christian church. Addresses of welcome: Mr. H. A. Norton, superintendent Calcasieu parishes; Mr. Ward Anderson, superintendent Lake Charles city schools; Mrs. Erick Gebens, director, Seventh district, Louisiana P.T.A.; Mrs. Charles F. D'Aunay, president Lake Charles council, Louisiana P.T.A. Responses: Mrs. Fagan Cox, first vice-president; Reports: Convention program committee; Mrs. Roger P. Sharp, Credentials committee, Mrs. Edwin J. Stebbins, Nominating committee, Mrs. Jessie Hair.

2:00 p.m.—Music: Central school melody band, Miss Jessie Mae Clement, director.

2:15 p.m.—President's annual report. Message from National Education association, Miss Amy Hinrichs.

2:30 p.m.—Report of White House conference on children in a democracy, Mrs. Rene Baus, Louisiana delegate.

2:45 p.m.—Presentation of awards: Publicity, Mrs. Nell Grigsby, chairman; safety, Mrs. G. B. Wilson, chairman; goals, Mrs. A. E. Montgomery, chairman.

3:00 p.m.—Announcements: Report of registration. Adjournment.

4:00 p.m.—Garden tour for delegates, Lake Charles Garden society.

General Session, Thursday Evening, April 18, Lake Charles Junior College Auditorium

8:00 p.m.—Mrs. Paul A. Blanchard, president; Miss Myrtle Rodgers, sixth vice-president, presiding. Music: "My Louisiana," community singing. Invocation: Rev. Harry Lintz, pastor, First Baptist church. Music: High school girls' chorus, Capella choir, Miss Mary Eva Stewart, Miss Rachel Hood, director.

8:30 p.m.—Address: "Education for Citizenship," Dr. John M. Fletcher, professor emeritus, Tulane university.

9:10 p.m.—Address: "The Broadening Field of Character Education," Dr. Joseph M. Artman, first vice-president, National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

10:00 p.m.—Announcements. Adjournment.

Friday Morning, April 19

7:30 a.m.—Breakfasts: Councils, Mr. P. H. Griffith, presiding, Majestic hotel. Summer-round-up—Mrs. J. B. Best, presiding, Charleston hotel.

Third General Session, Friday Morning, April 19, First Baptist Church

9:30 a.m.—Call to order. Mrs. Paul A. Blanchard, president. Mr. Alvin Good, fourth vice-president, presiding. Music. Invocation: Father Louis H. Boudreux, Church Immaculate Conception. Community singing, Central school boys' choir, Miss Mary Eva Stewart, director.

9:45 a.m.—Treasurer's report, Mrs. Rene Baus.

10:00 a.m.—Panel discussion: "Community Planning for Youth," leader, Dr. Joseph M. Artman, National Congress of Parents and Teachers. Topics: Religious Education, Dr. Piero Cline; Recreation, Dr. Henry O. Dresser, Louisiana State University; Vocational Guidance, Dr. Joseph Farrar; Contribution of the Arts, Miss Elizabeth Bethea; Economic Security, Mr. Alvin Good; Health, Mr. Jesse Hair; The Library, a Factor, Mrs. Roger P. Sharp; Citizenship Training, Miss Myrtle Rodgers.

11:00 a.m.—Election of officers.

11:15 a.m.—Report of by-laws committee, Mrs. Thomas B. Beinel, chairman.

12:00 noon—Announcements. Report of registration, Mrs. Edwin J. Stebbins, chairman. Adjournment.

Luncheon, Charleston Hotel—All Delegates Invited

12:30 p.m.—Address: "Louisiana's Children—Their Opportunities and Handicaps," Miss Florence Sytz, school of social work, Tulane university.

Friday Afternoon, April 19

2:00 p.m.—Conferences: Character Education, Dr. Piero Cline, chairman. Place, First Baptist church. Consumer education, Mrs. Cecil L. Brown, chairman. Place, Majestic hotel. P.T.A. organization and procedures, Mrs. Fagan Cox, chairman. Place, Majestic hotel. Parent-education, Miss Clyde Mobley, chairman. Place, Charleston hotel.

Continuous showing of educational films—Lobby Majestic hotel, Mrs. Ralph Levey, chairman.

Friday Evening, April 19, Annual Banquet—Majestic Hotel

7:00 p.m.—Mrs. Paul A. Blanchard, president, presiding; Mr. Erick Gebens, Lake Charles, toasting master; Miss Mary Eva Stewart, music director. Music: "A Song of Peace," Finlandia, Jean Sibelius. Invocation: Rev. George F. Wharton, Church of Good Shepherd. Presentation of state board members and honor guests.

7:45 p.m.—Music: Lake Charles Junior College Girls' sextette, Miss Kathleen Allums, director.

8:00 p.m.—Address: Honorable Sam Houston Jones, governor of Louisiana.

8:30 p.m.—Music: "God Bless America," Address: Dr. Joseph M. Artman, vice-president, National Congress of Parents and Teachers.

9:30 p.m.—Invitation for next annual meeting. Music: "Song of Home," from New World symphony, Anton

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Miss Merrill Feted By Mother At Dance

Beautiful Party In Mirror Room Of Hotel Frances
Honors Her On Seventeenth Birthday

Dancing in the Mirror room of the Frances hotel was a delightful experience for a few members of the younger set who will always remember with pleasant memories the seventeenth birthday of Miss Jane Merrill, whose anniversary inspired the affair.

Mrs. T. B. Merrill arranged the dancing party as a surprise to her daughter and extended invitations to her most intimate friends.

Mrs. Merrill extended courtesies in a white taffeta model with corsage of American Beauty roses and Miss Merrill was a lovely figure in white taffeta with a short brocaded jacket and corsage of pink sweet peas.

Mrs. Merrill was assisted by Mrs. Leonard Kaufman, Miss Nancie Rogers, Mrs. Martha Dorman and Mrs. Victor Sackett.

A feature of the evening's entertainment was the clever dancing skit presented by two skilled danseuses, Marice and Golday Roan.

During an intermission, tall pink tapers on the lace-covered refreshment table were lighted and the beautifully embossed, three-tiered birthday cake cut by the celebrant. The table was banked with sweet peas and roses with a crystal punch bowl occupying one end. Iced fruit trifle and a variety of delicious concoctions were served to the following

Jonesville

Mrs. O. V. Hooker entertained the Home Demonstration club on Thursday in her home on Wallace ridge.

Mrs. Fae Roark, home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on cooking meat and discussed the different cuts of meat and their food value. She also gave an interesting discussion on food vitamins.

Delicious refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program to the following members: Mrs. Geo. Foster, Mrs. A. D. Taylor, Mrs. Burrow Bass, Mrs. F. J. McCaskill, Mrs. W. Manning, Mrs. E. P. Ford and a visitor, Mrs. Bison.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. F. J. McCaskill, April 17.

Mrs. O. R. Wurster entertained the members of circle number two of the Methodist W. M. S. at the social meeting on Wednesday afternoon.

Lovely spring flowers were used in profusion to decorate the living room and dining room of the Wurster home. Two interesting contests were enjoyed with Mrs. L. Yancey and Mrs. Boyd Smith winning the prizes.

A delicious salad course was served at the close of the meeting.

Those attending this meeting were: Mrs. Yancey, Mrs. Lee Arnaud, Mrs. O. V. Hooker, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. B. Z. Forman, Mrs. W. L. Frisbie and Mrs. Henry Uttinger.

The Young Woman's Training circle enjoyed a picnic Wednesday afternoon on Jones bayou. Those enjoying this outing were: Misses Mabel Camp, Neva Thelma Forman, Elda Noel, Margaret Ridley; Mrs. Henry Talaffero, Mrs. Brene Barnet, and Mr. and Mrs. Conner.

Mrs. W. L. Frisbie was hostess Tuesday afternoon to the Tuesday Bridge club.

Pansies and spirea were used in the living room where the games were enjoyed.

The progressions resulted in Mrs. Henry Uttinger winning the high score title, Mrs. Frisbie, second, and consolation was cut by Mrs. Barney Cain. A delicious salad course was enjoyed at the conclusion of the games.

Mrs. R. P. Boyd was hostess at bridge on Friday afternoon of last week when she entertained the Honesville Bridge club in her home.

When scores were totaled Mrs. Harold Dees received high score prize, Mrs. Barney Cain second prize, and consolation was cut by Mrs. C. E. Eneke. Playing were: Mrs. H. W. LeTissier, Mrs. W. C. Stroud, Mrs. S. L. Marvin, Mrs. Cain, Mrs. Henry Uttinger and Mrs. Eneke.

Mrs. Arizona Keith is visiting her daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. LeTissier, from her home in Bath, III.

Mrs. L. S. Spencer returned home last Friday from Abbeville, where she spent last week with Dr. Spencer.

Mrs. Gaston Ledet and children, of Thibodaux, visited the LaPrarie here during the week-end.

Mrs. Tom Cheairs, of Drew, Miss., arrived Wednesday for a visit with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Trunzler.

Rev. Jim Sensinatter attended the Methodist district conference in LeCompte last Thursday.

Farmerville

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Keller of Farmerville spent the week-end in Farmerville with Mrs. Keller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Ramsey.

Miss Faye Autrey of Bernice was the guest of Miss Faye Baughman for the week-end.

Miss Mary Ruth Mitchell of Doyley and Miss Alice Virginia Mitchell of Ruston were guests of their mother, Mrs. E. L. Mitchell.

Miss Madlyn Waldrop of Haile spent the week-end in Farmerville with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Tugwell.

Miss Cloe Taylor has returned from New Orleans where she attended a state beauty culture convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Everett, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Everett, Jr., spent Sunday at Vicksburg, Miss., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Levy Ramsey and children of Columbia spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Brown and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yelton, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and their guest, Mr. Frank Mathews of Hattiesburg, attended the Natchez Garden Pilgrimage.

Senator and Mrs. R. W. Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall spent the week-end at Sulphur Bluff, Tex., as guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Sykes. While there, Mr. Hall and Mr. Rhodes went to Bonham, Tex., to visit Mrs. Joe Cunningham, an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall.



INTRODUCING . . .

Miss Jane Merrill, center, who celebrated her birthday anniversary with a dancing party in the Mirror room of the Frances hotel, last week. The cutting of the birthday cake was a distinct feature of the evening's courtesies. In the picture reading from left to right are: Mrs. T. B. Merrill, the celebrant's mother, and Kappy Ann Brace, Jane Merrill, Ruth Ann Nolan and Barbara Sackett.

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vases filled with pansies went to Mrs. J. A. Gilbert for club high score. Mrs. Fred McDuff for guest high score, Mrs. John Sevier, consolation and Mrs. E. S. Moberley, low.

Delicious refreshments were served after the games to Mrs. J. K. Post, Mrs. A. T. Palmer, Mrs. J. A. Gilbert, Mrs. A. H. Hurd, Mrs. E. S. Moberley, Mrs. W. D. Buford, Mrs. Z. L. Chambliss, Mrs. Lionel Naylor, Mrs. W. H. Erickson, Mrs. John Sevier, Mrs. D. C. Johnson and Mrs. Davis Whitfield.

Mrs. Leander Grace entertained at an enjoyable Coco-Cola party complimentary to Mrs. Virginia Halbach and Mrs. R. S. Frederick of Memphis. Refreshments of frozen fruit salad, sandwiches and drinks were served from the attractive lace draped table centered with a novel arrangement of white iris and spires.

The guests included Mrs. Virginia Halbach, Mrs. Frederick, Mrs. J. D. Halbach, Mrs. R. S. Frederick of Memphis. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Will Harvey, low score by Mrs. Nathan McKitie and consolation by Mrs. J. D. Halbach. The honorees were presented with souvenirs.

Guests enjoying the games and delightful refreshments served at the close were Mrs. Virginia Halbach, Mrs. R. S. Frederick and daughter, Virginia Lee, of Memphis, Tenn., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Halbach.

The monthly meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the home of Mrs. Horace Maxwell with Mrs. W. M. Murphy as the guest speaker and Mrs. George Yerger presiding over the business session. Mrs. Murphy gave an interesting talk on "Early New Orleans and Creole Life." The hostess served ice cream and cake at the close of the meeting to Mrs. Yerger, Mrs. H. W. Burleigh, Mrs. Cliff Clark, Mrs. B. P. Folk, Mrs. H. N. Alexander, Mrs. Mason Spencer and Mrs. Murphy.

Mrs. Albert Sevier and Mrs. Paul Schwartz were hostesses at bridge when they entertained complimentary to Mrs. Virginia Halbach and Mrs. R. S. Frederick of Memphis. The high score prize was won by Mrs. Will Harvey, low score by Mrs. Nathan McKitie and consolation by Mrs. J. D. Halbach. The honorees were presented with souvenirs.

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Mrs. Albert Sevier entertained her circle of the Baptist Missionary society, a lesson on "The Ministry of Motherhood" taught by Mrs. Clarence Crow being the feature. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. J. L. Davis and the session closed with the Lord's prayer in unison.

A social hour was enjoyed after the session. Those in attendance were Mrs. Clarence Crow, Mrs. J. B. Petty, Mrs. Ira Baxter, Mrs. J. L. Davis, Mrs. Manning, Mrs. Lewis Collins, Mrs. Albert Sevier and Mrs. Johnnie Stocks.

Mrs. Virginia Halbach and Mrs. R. S. Frederick of Memphis, Tenn., were honored guests at an informal Coca-Cola party given by Mrs. Harry Anderson at her home. The guests included Mrs. H. C. Bowen, Mrs. T. Ed Williams, Mrs. J. W. Huckabee, Mrs. C. H. Calhoun, Mrs. Leander Grace, Mrs. J. D. Halbach, Mrs. L. G. Storey, Mrs. Jesse Anderson, Mrs. J. C. Lee, Mrs. W. H. Rogilieu, Mrs. James Wallace and Mrs. Will Harvey.

Mrs. Mahna Gould and daughter, Betty Ray of Bastrop, were recent guests of Mrs. Gould's sister, Mrs. P. O. Benjamin.

The monthly meeting of the Episcopal guild was held at the home of Mrs. Neal Holt. Following the business session, when plans were made for a recital to be given by a group from All Saints college, a social hour was enjoyed. Those in attendance were Mrs. W. S. Craig, Mrs. Jessie Bonney, Mrs. W. J. Ward, Miss Florence Pierson, Mrs. P. O. Benjamin, Mrs. T. P. Kelli, Rev. and Mrs. George A. Tocher and Mrs. Holt.

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Mrs. Henry Sevier was a hostess, when she entertained members of the Friday afternoon club and several additional guests. Mrs. Mason Spencer was the recipient of the high score prize and Mrs. D. H. Allen second high.

A delicious salad course was served at the conclusion of the games to Mrs. D. H. Allen, Mrs. R. T. Campbell, Mrs. B. P. Folk, Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Mrs. Mason Spencer, Mrs. W. S. Craig, Mrs. E. L. Gilbert and Mrs. Jim Sevier of Gulfport, Miss.

Mrs. J. B. Atkinson of Water Valley is the guest of her brother and sister in law, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Allen.

Mrs. L. S. Vance has returned from a visit of several weeks in Atlanta, Ga., where she was the guest of her son Hugh Vance. Mrs. Hugh Vance recently underwent an operation at Atlanta hospital.

Mrs. F. A. DeJean has returned from a visit of two weeks in New Orleans.

Mrs. W. B. Middleton, Mrs. Charles Kurzwig and Miss Katherine Kurzwig of Plaquemine are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Dean Allen.

The Tuesday club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. L. Stevens at her home here which was especially attractive with quantities of pansies and iris. The awards for bridge games,

week-end at Sulphur Bluff, Tex., as guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Sykes. While there, Mr. Hall and Mr. Rhodes went to Bonham, Tex., to visit Mrs. Joe Cunningham, an aunt of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall.

Marion

Mrs. Verna Colburn and her mother, Mrs. John Dean, of Ponchatoula are the guests of relatives here.

Miss Ernestine Guiley of Louisiana Tech was at home for the week-end and had as her guest Miss Jane Hayes, of Ruston.

Mrs. Eula O'Bannon and son of Bernice were guests of relatives here.

Rev. D. B. Raulins, presiding elder, of Ruston, preached at the Methodist church here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Edwards of Ruston, Tex., were the guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Everett of Farmerville were visitors in Marion.

Miss Alma Burk and Miss Merle Burk of the Louisiana Tech faculty were visitors in Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Simmons of Ross Junction, Ark., visited relatives here.

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Lake Providence

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Goetz of Little Rock, were here Easter for a visit with Mrs. Goetz's daughters, Mrs. Sterling Merrill and Mrs. Roy Abernathy and their families.

Rev. and Mrs. George A. Nelson motored over from Hodge to be at the bedside of their mother, Mrs. G. P. Nelson, a patient at the Tallulah clinic. After an emergency appendix operation, Rev. and Mrs. Nelson came to Lake Providence for a visit with their brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson.

Troop Laprols of the Girl Scouts enjoyed an Easter egg hunt on the lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Pittman, with picnic lunch and games. Competition was created by teams, with Patsy Evans, leader of the winning team.

Thirty-five members of the troop with Susanne Wilson of Lake Village as their guest, enjoyed the day's outing.

Plans were made by Providence chapter No. 42, Order Eastern Star, for the official visit of Mrs. Beulah Morris, district deputy grand matron of the district, on Monday April 22.

On this visit the work will be reviewed, plans made for the district school of instruction, and visit of the worthy grand matron.

Mrs. Hazel Thompson White, worthy

matron of Providence chapter, reported on her attendance at the recent grand chapter session, and Mrs. Sterling Merrill, associate matron, gave the legislative features, and Mrs. H. L. Van, member of the grand choir, told of the choir luncheon and various elaborate marches.

A drill on the constitution was given by Mrs. H. L. Van, member of the committee on work.

Miss Beatrice Erickson, child welfare consultant, with headquarters in Monroe, was here for a visit with Mr. John C. Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geisler, motorizing to the former's home in Berwick, were accompanied by Miss Rose Mary Laws, who went to Patterson for a visit with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cotting of Jackson, Miss., were here to spend Easter with Mrs. Cotting's mother, Mrs. W. H. Maben and Mr. Maben.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Houston, Jr., motored from Hattiesburg, Miss., to spend Easter with Mrs. Houston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Purdy.

Miss Carolyn and Mary Lucille Reed were among the college students home for the Easter holidays, and were with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Reed.

Mrs. J. N. Hill, Jr., hostess for the Episcopal "after-Lent" card party, received Mrs. J. C. Bass, Mrs. Charlie

Bass, Mrs. W. D. Brown, Jr., Mrs. A. S. Cannack, Jr., Mrs. William Evans, Mrs. R. S. Guenard, Mrs. Leon Harbin, Mrs. J. C. Hamley, Mrs. M. L. Levy, Mrs. W. H. Mahen, Mrs. John Harry Packard, Mrs. W. G. Roberts, Mrs. C. A. Rose, Mrs. Herman Stein, Mrs. E. D. Schneider, Mrs. N. C. Williams, Mrs. E. S. Voelker, Mrs. Mark H. Brown, Mrs. B. R. Burgoyne, Mrs. Denis Brown, Mrs. N. K. Delony, Mrs. C. R. Evans, Mrs. J. H. Guenard, Mrs. R. R. Higgins, Mrs. O. P. Hamilton, Mrs. W. C. Lyon, Mrs. G. A. Langhoffer, Miss Mary Pearl, Miss Anise Perry, Mrs. Wallace Peffercorn, Mrs. Fred S. Regenold, Mrs. T. S. Sitten, Mrs. F. H. Schneider, Jr., Mrs. J. N. Turner, Miss Dorothy Wall, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Mrs. W. F. Booker, Mrs. Arthur Crump, Mrs. W. K. Evans, Mrs. Jda Fisher, Mrs. S. E. Hart, Mrs. George Hider, Mrs. Meyer Kaufman, Mrs. McIntosh of Oak Grove, Mrs. John W. Nelson, Mrs. Ernest Parra, Mrs. Walter Pittman, Mrs. F. P. Regenold, Mrs. John Rodge, Mrs. Herman Schwartz, Mrs. A. P. Surles, Mrs. H. L. Van, Mrs. L. L. Ward, and Mrs. C. A. Marlette.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Mark Brown, second prize by Mrs. Herman Stein, and low score

prize went to Mrs. W. D. Brown.

Mrs. George Bradford Kress arrived from Lynchburg, Va., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Estes.

Tullos

J. T. Liner of El Dorado, Ark., was the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. H. Stewart, and Mr. Stewart.

Mrs. Don Smith returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Albert Offer, in Laredo, Tex.

Mrs. Mattie Nethery of Grayson was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Higdon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Womble of Winnfield visited Mrs. Womble's sister, Mrs. Jimmie Bardin, and Mr. Bardin.

Wyatt Liner spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. H. W. Liner, in Ruston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rice and W. H. Jr., were the guests of the former's brother, E. O. Rice, and Mrs. Rice in Pineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith, Don Smith, Jr., and Albert Offer motored to Alexandria to see "Gone With the Wind."

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Carter of Hot Springs, Ark., are the parents of a son, Lee Edwin, born Friday, March 15, weighing 7 1/2 pounds. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Mollie Carter of

Monticello, Ark., and the maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Coleman of Tullos.

Jimmie Owen-Cannaday of Barksdale Field spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Cannaday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Womack and little son Jerry of Alexandria were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. and E. Mayes, Mrs. E. O. Brown and Mrs. E. R. Brewer.

Mrs. T. A. Stewart and Mrs. T. M. Stewart and little son Stewart were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gentry in Campi.

Mrs. W. E. Gammill, Mrs. W. A. Stone and Mrs. Jimmie Bardin visited in Alexandria.

Mrs. J. I. Cannaday and Mrs. Sarah Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Cannaday's son Owen and Edward Bearden, motored to Clarence.

Mrs. W. L. Wilder of Alexandria was a business visitor here to make arrangements for the showing of "Gone With the Wind" to be shown at the Princess theater in Tullos, April 24-27.

The Tullos Methodist Missionary society met at the church. The meeting opened with the song, "Take My Life and Let It Be," followed with prayer led by Mrs. Herbert DePriest. The meeting was then turned over to Mrs. H. E. Mayes, who had charge of the program. Those having parts were,

Mrs. C. E. Coleman, Mrs. H. E. Mayes, Mrs. W. H. Rice and Fern Benson. After singing, "I Would Be True" the meeting was closed with prayer led by Mrs. Brewer.

Members present were, Mrs. C. E. Coelman, Mrs. W. H. Rice, Mrs. Glen Tyson, Fern Benson, Mrs. Hal DePriest, Mrs. Herbert DePriest, Mrs. H. E. Mayes, Mrs. E. O. Brown and Mrs. E. R. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Allbritton and Guy Allbritton of Cotton Valley visited friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Milam have as their guests Mrs. J. N. Petersen of Kilgore, Tex., and Mrs. J. F. Griffin of Shreveport.

A delightful birthday party was given in honor of little Barbara LaRae Hargrove on her fifth birthday, at her home. Many outdoor games were played after which refreshments were served. Those present and sending gifts were, Sammy Jean and Dale Evans, Margaret Ann and Dale Hadwin, Betty Lou Bass, J. E. Smith, Eddie Lee Matthews, Donnie Bass, Maxine Shaw, Barbara Duke, Jackie LeBaron, Katherine Duke, Hugh LeBaron, Jo Ann Gathright, Billie Jean Smith, Shirley Goodwin, Patsy Rae Brewer, Glenda Rae Floyd, Gloria Jean Pilcher, Sheila Jean Smith, Mary Ann Stennett, A. J. Duke, Betty Jean Stennett and Patricia and Sammy David.

Those enjoying the day were: Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holley, W. H. Holley, Miss Thelma Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Holley and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burgess, Floyd Burgess, Loyce Burgess, Max Burgess, Maxine Burgess, Lamar Burgess, Rev. and Mrs. E. A.

Hens eggs sold for \$1.50 each in California during the gold rush days.

Hico

On his 81st birthday, D. M. Holley was guest of honor at a birthday dinner at the home of his son, Joe Brazzel.

All of Mr. Holley's children and a large group of relatives and other guests attended the affair, climaxing with a delicious dinner spread beneath the beautiful old trees on the lawn.

Those enjoying the day were: Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holley, W. H. Holley, Miss Thelma Holley, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Boyce Holley and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Burgess, Floyd Burgess, Loyce Burgess, Max Burgess, Maxine Burgess, Lamar Burgess, Rev. and Mrs. E. A.

Burgess, Elvin Burgess, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hood, Ernest Kendall Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hood, Mary Elizabeth Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brazzel, Ivan Brazzel, Thomas Brazzel, Louis Brazzel, Odie Brazzel, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Brazzel, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Culpepper, Marge Culpepper, Johnnie Culpepper, Mrs. Ollie Lewis, Mr. Odie Parker, Mr. Will Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Curtiss Stewart and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Duggans, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hood and children, Arnel Stewart, Miss Larrell Colvin, Harold Woodard, James Woodard, Mrs. Andy Young and baby, Bennett Patton and Mrs. Mattie Stewart.

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FINANCES WORRY MISSISSIPPIANS

Balancing Of Budget Still Big Job After 15 Weeks Of Legislature

JACKSON, Miss., April 13.—(AP)—The legislature enters its sixteenth week Monday with the balancing of Mississippi's financial sheet still the big job before it.

Members made progress on individual items last week for the first time in two months, and a few more days of solid work might bring the end of the trail into view.

Unfortunately, the legislature's good days have rarely followed one another. One progressive session is more often succeeded by days or even weeks of unproductive controversy.

Senator Dave Crawley asked members to "quit fighting like tom-cats under a chittlin' house and get down to work."

Members came back to the chamber last week in a mood to accept

the advice, Chairman John Kyle of the senate finance committee reported both Paul Johnson and anti-Paul Johnson leaders of both houses had agreed on a \$42,114,126.30 budget.

The administration tried for weeks to finance one for \$44,000,000.

The \$42,114,126.30 compromise figure represented an estimate of what the present tax structure will produce in the next biennium, plus several millions in estimated new revenue from new measures.

A sidelight story is told that he insisted the 30 cents be carried on the end of a purely estimated figure.

While the house passed 40 appropriations measures during the week, the senate went to work on the compromise tax bills.

In one day the upper chamber turned out five measures which were counted on for \$1,400,000 in new revenue. Only one dissenting vote was registered against the series.

Not all of these measures provided for increases in present rates, however, for teh ad valorem tax was retained at six mills. The administration had lost a long, bitter fight for eight.

Other bills of the group raised the franchise tax on capital stock of corporations from \$1 per \$1,000 to \$2; eliminated income tax exemptions allowed corporations; increased the individual income tax rate approximately one per cent in higher brackets and fixed the severance tax at two per cent for oil and timber.

The following day members voted a measure to permit the state to sell approximately \$600,000 in four per cent Humphreys county bonds, and to revise certain manufacturers' taxes to raise about \$150,000.

The state bought the county's bonds in 1928 to finance repair of flood damage at a time when flooded counties could get no credit in the bond market.

Most of these bills have yet to be considered by the house, which faces a rocky week.

In addition to these revenue measures, other bills on the house calendar are appropriations bills for the common school fund and the old age pension fund which are entirely unsatisfactory to these tightly organized groups.

Old age pension supporters got \$2,000,000 last biennium, asked \$4,000,000 this biennium, finally were in a mood to accept \$3,000,000 if this was the way it had to be.

JOHNNY TAYLOR OF ROUTE 1 NOT FINED

The Johnny Taylor of Monroe who was fined in police court several days ago was not the Johnny Taylor who resides on the White's Ferry road, near West Monroe, it was stated yesterday.

GREATER EARNINGS SEEN

COLUMBUS, O., April 13.—(AP)—Henry M. Dawes, president of the Pure Oil company, told stockholders at the annual meeting here today that materially greater earnings were in prospect for the company this year.

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★ Woman man thinks his soul mate often turns out to be checkmate. (85 Prizewinner).

★ Love can quicken all senses except sense. (85 Prizewinner).

★ A Big Front fails to hide little background. (85 Prizewinner).

My wiser brother, Profoculus, says "You have to talk a lot to show how little you know."

"Honest persons never repeat."

"Unless there is too much trust there can be no treachery."

"Many acres do not make a wiseacre."

"Many owe their fortunes to envy."

"If you leave cranks alone they don't start revolutions."

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will at salaries fixed by him. Thus, if either should incur gubernatorial displeasure, over tax collections or over investigations of public accounts, his salary might take a dip or he might even get his walking papers.

It was without any explanation that former Governor Richard W. Leche ousted Alice Lee Grosjean, more recently a campaign manager for Governor Earl K. Long, first as collector of revenue and then as supervisor of public funds.

State police must do Boy Scout duty for the governor now, should he be orders to that effect, because the police department head also holds his job at gubernatorial whim. Through lack of any provision in the law for his salary, the state police head may set his own figure. But, since he's controlled by the governor, the latter really says how much.

The state labor commissioner is about in the same fix. On the other hand the welfare commissioner, in charge of the state's relief program, is employed by, and at a salary set by a welfare commission appointed by the governor.

This situation may be blamed to

the 1936 legislature which fixed these office-holding handicaps in arranging or rearranging all five departments. It's a different story for some of



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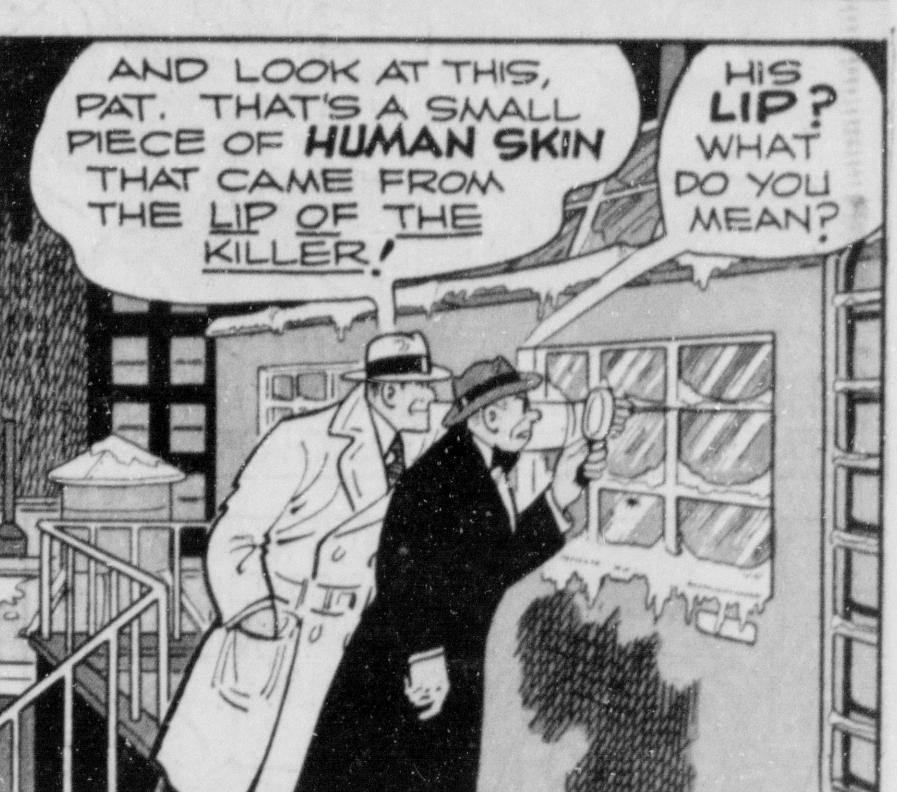
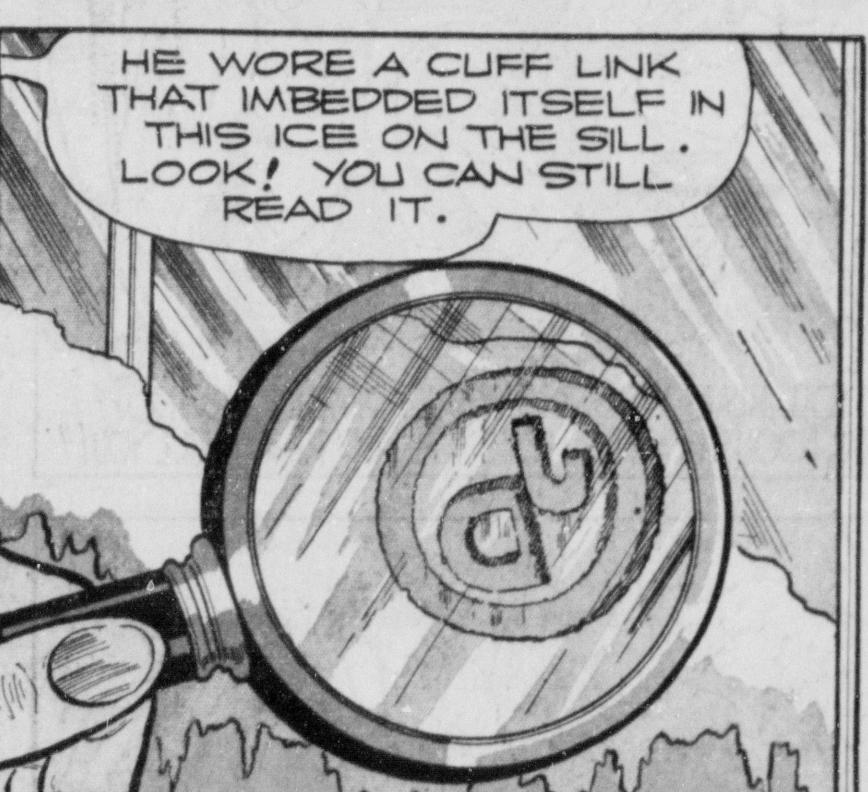
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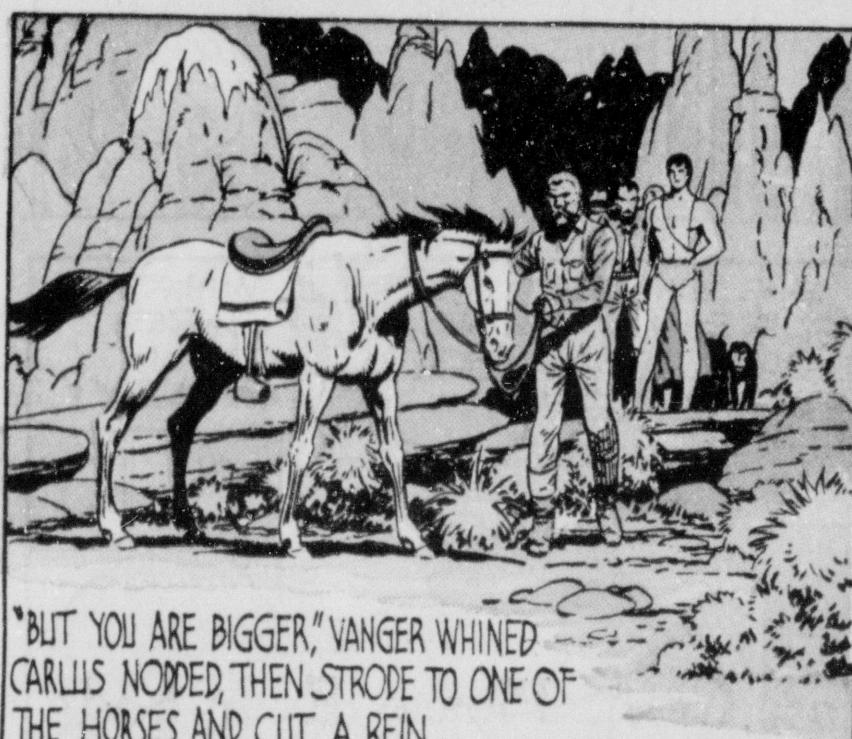
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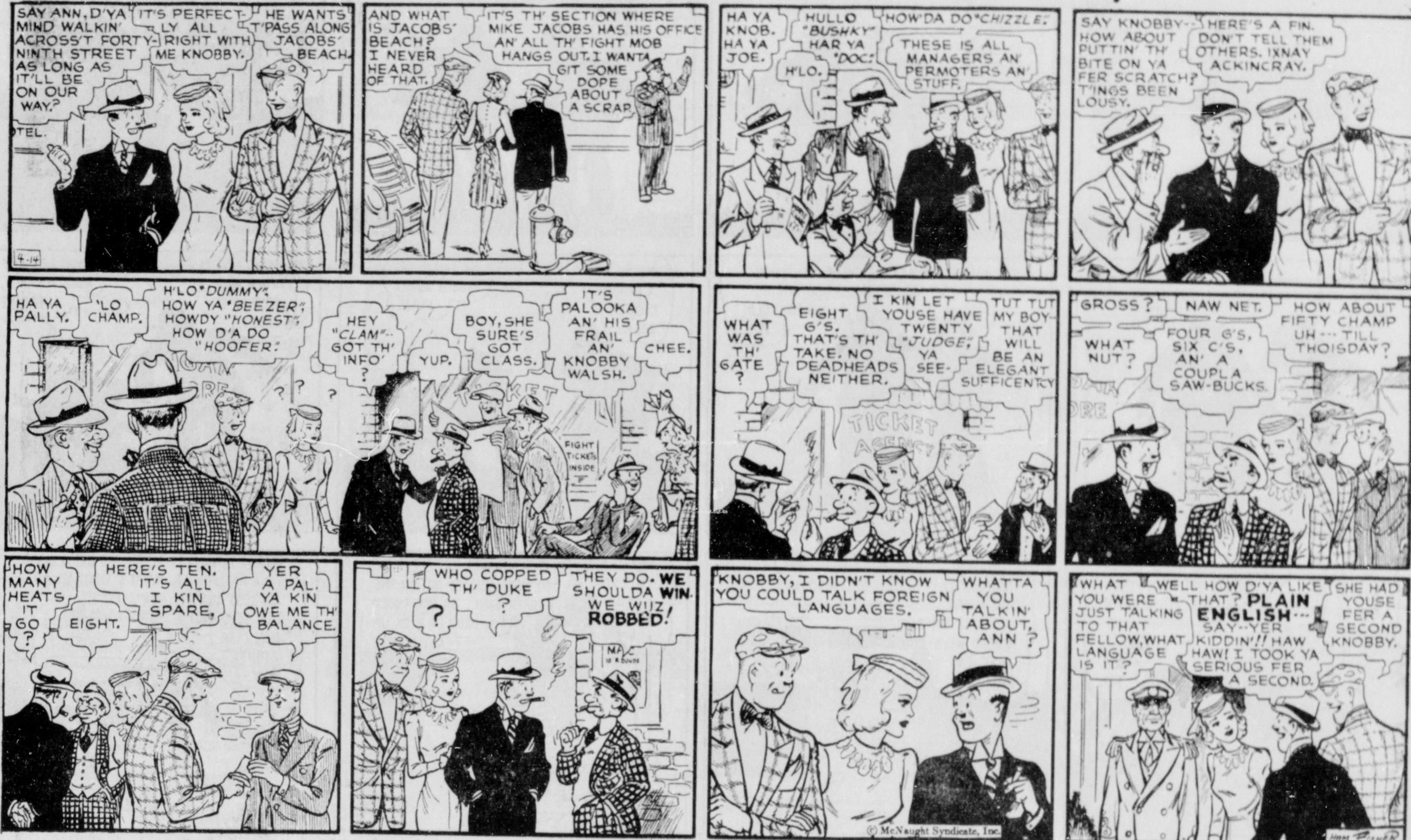
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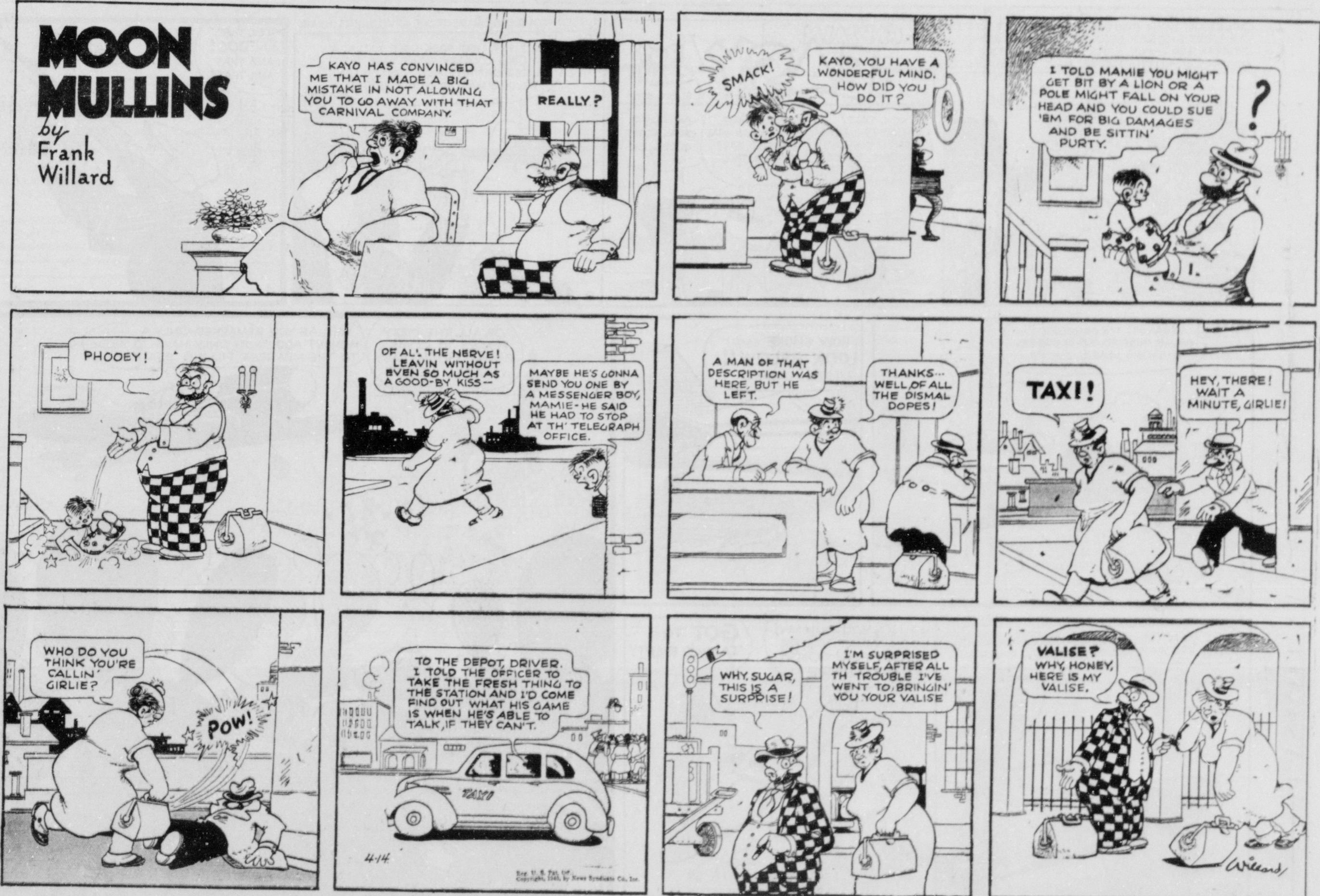
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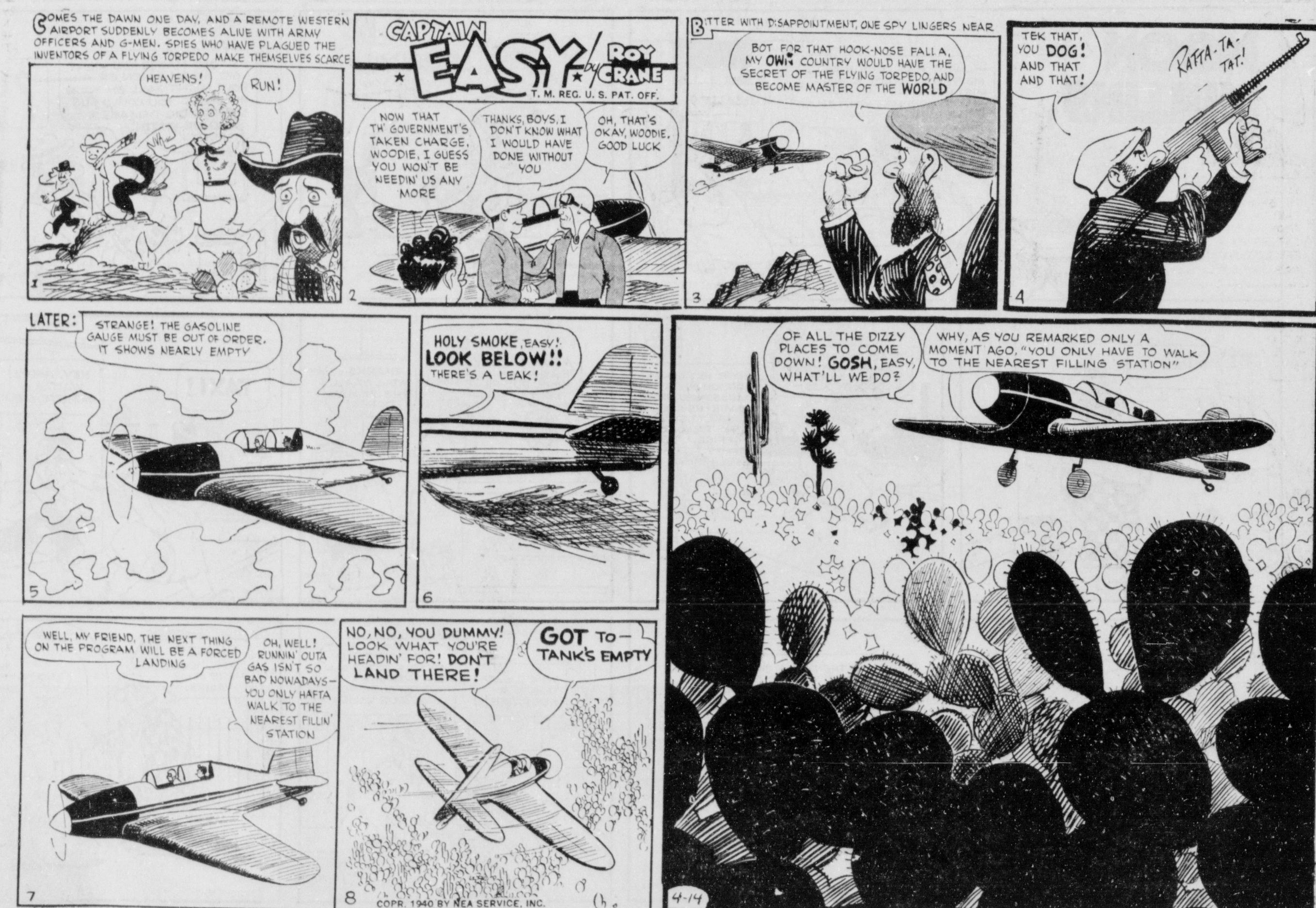


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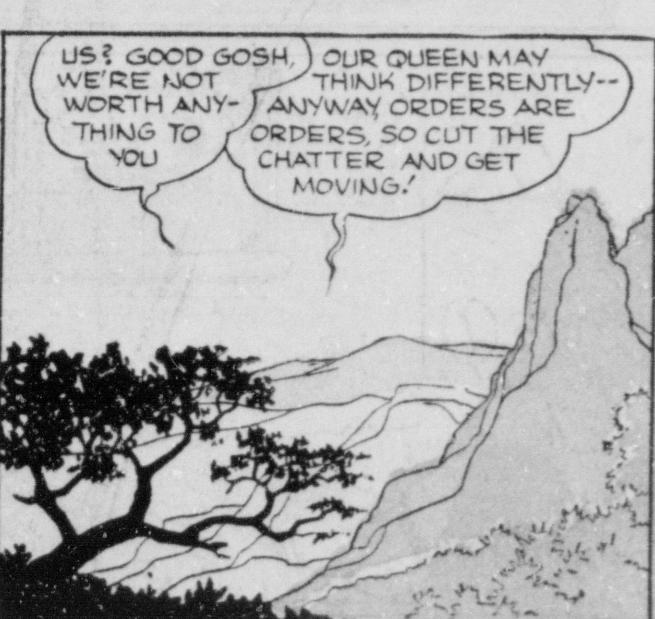
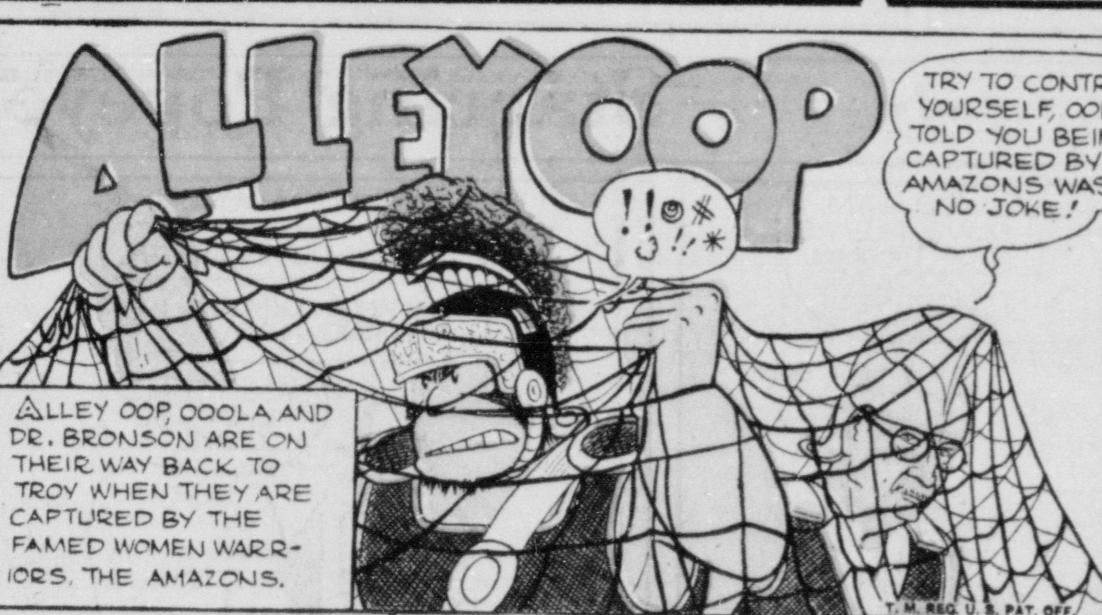
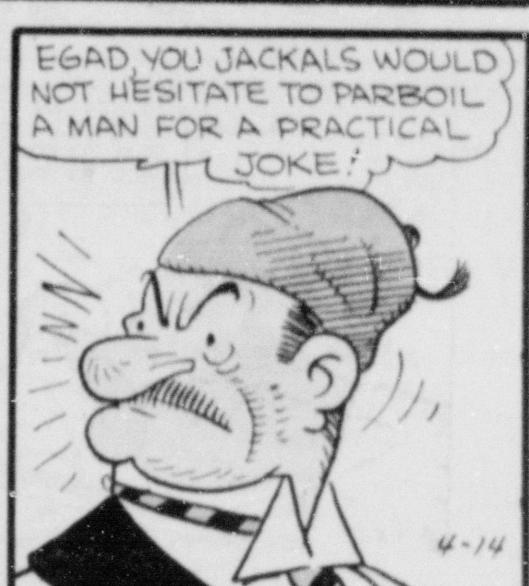
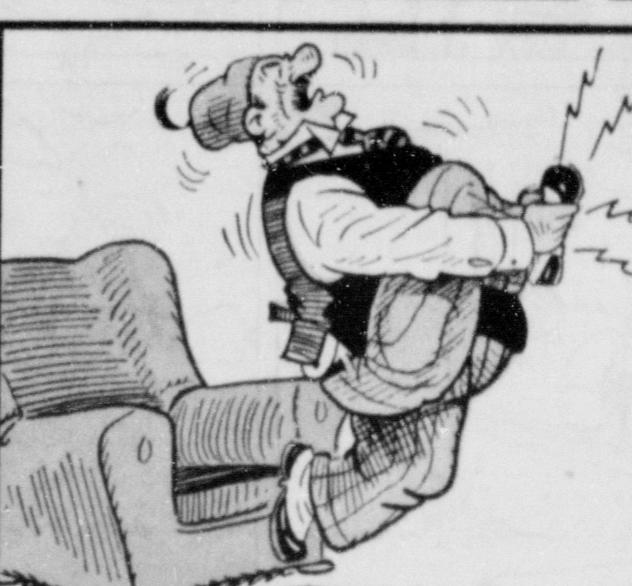
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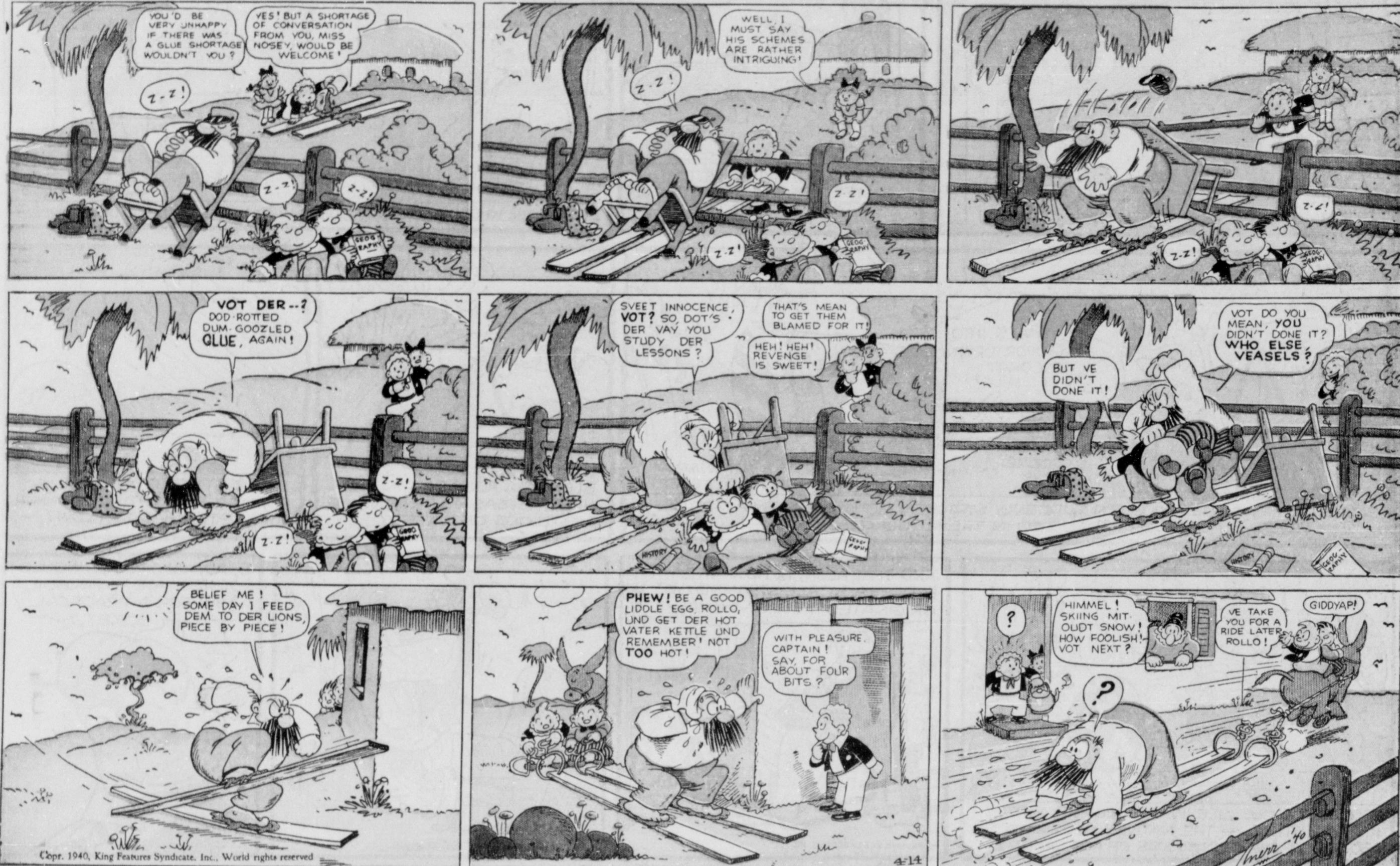
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